

Statement I relating to Provincial

Serial No.	Name of office.	Present cost per annum.	MAJORITY REPORT.		MINORITY REPORT.	
			Proposed cost per annum.	Increase per annum.	Proposed cost per annum.	Increase per annum.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
		Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.
77	Offices of the Commissioners of Divisions (Upper Division).	54,126 0	76,545 0	22,419 0	82,304 0	28,178 0
78	Judicial Side (Upper Division).	2,84,170 0	6,17,377 0	2,33,207 0	7,34,792 0	3,50,622 0
79	District executive offices (Upper Division).	4,11,830 0	5,94,130 0	1,82,300 0	6,71,795 0	2,59,965 0

Reserved Departments—continued.

PROPOSALS OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT.		Reasons.	REMARKS.
Proposed cost per annum.	Increase per annum.		
8	9	10	11
Rs. A. 77,670 0	Rs. A. 23,544 0	The pay of wards' head clerks in Western Bengal is Rs. 80 and not Rs. 125 as shown in the report. The calculations have been revised throughout accordingly. In view of the increase given to sherishtadars and Superintendents in three district offices, the rate for sherishtadars (3) and Revenue or Judicial assistants (2), i.e., 5 posts in all, has been increased by Government to Rs. 250—15—325.	A shorthand allowance of Rs. 50 granted to the second clerk of the office of the Commissioner of the Dacca Division has not been included. This will continue to be drawn pending further consideration of the subject by Government.
6,18,805 0	2,34,635 0	In Western Bengal there are four Additional Judge's sherishtadars and not three as shown in the report and instead of 11 peshkars in Eastern Bengal on Rs. 60 a month as shown in the report there are ten peshkars on Rs. 60 each and one on Rs. 70. Eight posts of Civil Court amirs on Rs. 50 each have been included in the present cost. For the amirs on Rs. 70 and Rs. 50 the majority recommended rates of Rs. 80—4—100 and Rs. 35—35—40—2—68—1—80, respectively. In view of the fact that these men are being abolished and that no new men will be recruited in their place, a time-scale is unnecessary. Government have proposed for them rates of Rs. 100 and Rs. 75, respectively. The calculations have been revised throughout accordingly.	
5,94,703 0	1,82,873 0	In Eastern Bengal there are 4 Judicial peshkars on Rs. 70 and not 3 as shown in the report. The numbers of tauzi navis in Eastern Bengal on Rs. 80 and Rs. 70 are four and twelve, respectively, and not five and eleven as shown in the report. The post of a temporary tauzi navis on Rs. 70 in Western Bengal and two temporary posts of partition clerks in Eastern Bengal, one on Rs. 80 and the other on Rs. 70, were included in the statement in the report. The number of Khasmahal clerks on Rs. 70 in Eastern Bengal is one and not two as shown in the report, and the number of Subdivisional clerks on Rs. 80 in Eastern Bengal is six and not four as shown in the report. The present and proposed costs have been revised accordingly. The following modifications have been made by Government in the scales proposed in the report :— (i) For three posts of Superintendents (districts of the 24 Parganas, Midnapore and Mymensingh) a scale of Rs. 225—15—300 has been proposed. (ii) Twenty-seven selection posts on Rs. 145—5—170 in the Upper Division have been omitted and the pay of the accountant has been proposed as follows :— (a) 5 posts on Rs. 150—5—200 each. (b) 22 posts on Rs. 125—5—175 each.	Some clerks in the district offices draw shorthand allowances in addition to their pay. They should continue to draw these pending further consideration by this Government.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7
		Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.
80	High Court	3,81,565 0	5,00,648 0	1,19,083 0	5,53,437 8	1,71,872 8

Reserved Departments—concluded.

PROPOSALS OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT.		Reasons.	REMARKS.
Proposed cost per annum.	Increase per annum.		
8	9	10	11
Rs. A. 5,06,504 0	Rs. A. 1,24,939 0	<p>(i) The following temporary and provisional appointments which were included in the present scale of establishment for the Appellate Side Judicial Department and English Office, as shown in the report, have been excluded from the present calculations throughout :—</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Judicial Department.</i></p> <p style="text-align: right;">Rs.</p> <p>1 Head Stamp-Reporter ... 350—10—400</p> <p>1 Chief Editor ... 350</p> <p>6 Editors ... 250—10—300 each.</p> <p>1 Assistant ... 200</p> <p>2 Assistants ... 175 each.</p> <p>2 " ... 150 "</p> <p>4 " ... 125 "</p> <p>3 " ... 40 "</p> <p>18 " ... 50—3—125 each.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>English Office.</i></p> <p style="text-align: right;">Rs.</p> <p>1 Assistant ... 125</p> <p>4 Shorthand typists ... 30 each.</p> <p>(ii) The figure for present cost includes the following which were omitted from the report :—</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Judicial Department.</i></p> <p style="text-align: right;">Rs.</p> <p>1 Duty allowance for the Officer-in-charge of the Decree Section... 125</p> <p>2 Clerks ... 20 each.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>English Office.</i></p> <p style="text-align: right;">Rs.</p> <p>4 Personal allowances ... 5 each.</p> <p>1 Personal allowance ... 15</p> <p>The two appointments on Rs. 20 each will be converted into menial appointments on the retirement of the present incumbents. For the present incumbents a pay of Rs. 32 each has been proposed by Government. The proposed cost includes this as well as the duty allowance of Rs. 125 for the Officer-in-charge of the Decree Section.</p> <p>(iii) In order to attract suitable men for the posts of Translators and Interpreters (Original Side) a scale of Rs. 180—10—200—15—500 (probationary rates Rs. 180 and 190) is proposed by Government for them. On economic grounds and by reason of increased responsibility of the post, a scale of Rs. 250—10—350 is proposed by Government for the Keeper of Records (Appellate Side).</p>	<p>There are no shorthand typists in the Appellate Side of the High Court, but four shorthand allowances of Rs. 30 each have been sanctioned for this side. Pending further consideration of the subject, these allowances will continue to be drawn under the existing conditions.</p>

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7
		Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.
1	Office of the Director of Public Instruction.	57,470 0	81,385 0	23,915 0	91,591 0	34,121 0
2	Office of the Assistant Director of Public Instruction for Muhammadan Education.	3,000 0	5,830 0	2,830 0	6,533 0	3,533 0
3	Office of the Chief Engineer, Public Health Department.	6,420 0	8,790 0	2,370 0	9,565 8	3,145 8
4	Office of the Commissioner of Excise and Salt.	26,510 0	36,709 0	10,199 0	43,356 0	16,846 0
5	Office of Surgeon-General.	22,770 0	33,060 0	10,290 0	39,207 0	16,437 0
6	Office of the Inspector-General of Registration.	25,730 0	38,149 0	12,419 0	44,849 0	19,119 0
7	Office of the Director of Public Health.	22,210 0	31,310 0	9,100 0	35,926 0	13,716 0
8	Office of the Registrar, Co-operative Societies.	16,310 0	23,015 0	6,705 0	27,628 0	11,318 0
9	Office of the Assistant Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Dacca.	4,285 0	6,305 0	2,020 0	7,288 0	3,003 0
10	Office of the Assistant Registrar of Co-operative Societies, Naogaon	3,745 0	5,513 0	1,768 0	6,360 0	2,615 0
11	Office of the Superintendent, Civil Veterinary Department.	5,023 0	6,110 0	1,087 0	7,269 0	2,246 0

Transferred Departments.

PROPOSALS OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT.		Reasons.	Remarks.
Proposed cost per annum.	Increase per annum.		
8	9	10	11
Rs. A.	Rs. A.		
81,385 0	23,915 0	In the absence of any definite rule for direct recruitment to the Upper Division and in view of its expensiveness, this Government do not recommend the adoption of the Committee's alternative scheme in the footnote (a) on page 34 of their report. The scale of Rs. 100—10—200 proposed for one stenographer may be regarded as personal to the present incumbent. Future incumbents should be put on the general scale of Rs. 80—5—175.	
5,830 0	2,830 0		
9,133 0	2,713 0	As the standard percentage increase would warrant it, this Government propose to put the three draftsmen on the scale of Rs. 50—5—165 proposed by the Committee for similar officers under the Public Works Department.	
36,949 0	10,439 0	The figures for present cost and proposed cost under this Government's proposals include a duty allowance of Rs. 20 per mensem on account of knowledge of shorthand at present drawn by a clerk.	
54,060 0	10,290 0	One extra post on Rs. 80 per mensem left out by the Committee has been included throughout.	
38,149 0	12,419 0		
31,310 0	9,100 0	Two extra posts on Rs. 80 and Rs. 40 erroneously included in the proposition statement in the report have been omitted throughout.	
24,915 0	8,605 0	In order to raise the maximum of the pay of the head clerk and the second clerk scales of Rs. 250—10—300 and Rs. 200—10—250 are proposed for them respectively by this Government.	
6,305 0	2,020 0		
5,513 0	1,768 0		
6,460 0	1,437 0	In order to give the head clerk the standard percentage increase over his present pay, this Government propose for him a scale of Rs. 100—10—200.	

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		Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.
12	Office of the Director of Fisheries.	3,664 0	4,500 0	836 0	6,547 0	2,883 0
13	Office of the Director of Industries.	1,82,728 0	1,83,753 0	1,025 0	1,95,921 0	13,193 0
14	Bengal Veterinary College, Calcutta.	12,970 6	17,055 0	4,084 10	19,250 0	6,279 10
15	Calcutta Collectorate (special cadre of the Excise Branch).	3,867 0	5,200 0	1,333 0	5,645 0	1,778 0
16	Office of the Director of Agriculture.	18,810 0	27,060 0	8,250 0	32,012 0	13,202 0
17	Agricultural Research Laboratory, Dacca.	2,080 0	3,168 0	1,088 0	3,264 0	1,184 0
18	Office of the Deputy Director of Agriculture, Eastern Circle, and offices subordinate to him.	4,620 0	5,971 0	1,351 0	7,245 0	2,625 0
19	Office of the Deputy Director of Agriculture, Western Circle, and offices subordinate to him.	4,620 0	5,971 0	1,351 0	7,245 0	2,625 0
20	Office of the Deputy Director of Agriculture, Northern Circle, and offices subordinate to him.	4,840 0	6,625 0	1,785 0	8,029 0	3,189 0
21	Office of the Superintendent of Sericulture and Rajshahi Sericultural School.	1,600 0	2,829 0	1,229 0	3,113 0	1,513 0

Transferred Departments—continued.

PROPOSALS OF LOCAL GOVERNMENT.		Reasons.	Remarks.
Proposed cost per annum.	Increase per annum.		
8	9	10	11
Rs. A.	Rs. A.		
4,500 0	836 0	.....	The present incumbent of the post on Rs. 60—2—100 may be given credit for his past service in the post on the new scale from the stage of Rs. 59.
1,80,013 0	—2,715 0	The post of the Superintendent on Rs. 500 per mensem left out by the Committee has been included throughout. As the Upper Division in this office is to be recruited from outside in the main and for this reason it is desirable to have a scale with 24 years' run, it is not considered necessary to raise the minimum of the Upper Division from Rs. 120 to Rs. 130 as proposed by the Committee. Assistants promoted from the Lower Division may, however, start on Rs. 130. The scales of Rs. 100—10—200, Rs. 100—5—125 and Rs. 50—10—100 proposed for stenographers may be accepted as personal to the present incumbents; future recruits should be put on the standard scale of Rs. 80—5—175.	
17,691 0	4,720 10	This Government propose a scale of Rs. 80—80—100—5—150—10—200 for the head clerk, the accountant and the manager of hostels and of Rs. 30—1—40 for the ambulance coachman.	
5,200 0	1,333 0		
27,060 0	8,250 0		
3,168 0	1,088 0		
5,971 0	1,351 0		
5,971 0	1,351 0		
6,625 0	1,785 0		
2,829 0	1,229 0	The post of accountant on Rs. 75—5—125 shown in excess in the report and note of dissent has been omitted.	

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		Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.
22	Office of the Registrar of Calcutta.	11,160 0	16,726 0	5,566 0	18,418 0 ^a	7,258 0
23	Medical College ...	7,695 0	9,575 0	1,880 0	11,488 0	3,793 0
24	Medical College Hospital and Prince of Wales' Hospital.	4,440 0	6,126 0	1,686 0	7,266 0	2,826 0
25	Office of the Chemical Examiner to this Government.	3,306 0	4,132 0	826 0	4,516 0	1,210 0
26	Campbell Medical School ...	3,800 0	4,688 0	888 0	5,738 0	1,938 0
27	Campbell Hospital ...	3,590 0	4,600 0	1,010 0	5,650 0	2,060 0
28	Presidency General Hospital.	2,476 0	3,530 0	1,054 0	4,110 0	1,634 0
29	Voluntary Venereal Hospital.	640 0	620 0	-20 0	816 0	176 0
30	Sambhu Nath Pundit Hospital.	360 0	620 0	260 0	816 0	456 0
31	Albert Victor Leper Asylum	640 0	732 0	92 0	872 0	232 0
32	Superintending Engineer, Presidency Circle.	58,795 0	88,694 0	29,899 0	97,428 0	38,633 0
33	Executive Engineer, 1st Calcutta Division.	708 0	1,004 0	296 0	1,204 0	496 0

Transferred Departments—continued.

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Proposed cost per annum.	Increase per annum.		
8	9	10	11
Rs. A.	Rs. A.		
17,206 0	6,046 0	In order to give the copyists the full standard percentage increase, the scale of Rs. 40—1—50 proposed for them in the note of dissent has been accepted.	* Taking into account the three posts of copyists which have been inadvertently omitted.
9,575 0	1,880 0	One post of a collecting sarkar on Rs. 25 per mensem, shown in excess by the Committee, has been omitted throughout.	
6,126 0	1,686 0		
4,132 0	826 0		
4,688 0	888 0	The scale of Rs. 30— $\frac{1}{2}$ —40 proposed for the collecting sarkar is personal to the present incumbent. Future sarkars will get the general rate of Rs. 25— $\frac{1}{2}$ —35 proposed by the Committee for sarkars.	
4,600 0	1,010 0		
3,530 0	1,054 0		
620 0	- 20 0		
620 0	260 0		
732 0	92 0		
91,784 0	32,989 0	The second correspondence clerk is on Rs. 100 fixed and not on Rs. 80—4—100. One probationer clerk on Rs. 20 not shown in the report. The number of unpassed accounts clerks on Rs. 30 is 5 and not 4. One estimator on Rs. 50—4—70 and one personal allowance of Rs. 10, drawn by an estimator on second grade, left out by the Committee have been added. In order to give the full standard percentage increase, a scale of Rs. 40—2—80 has been adopted for the tracer. Two personal allowances of Rs. 10 each at present drawn by two draftsmen on second grade have been added. The present cost and that proposed by Government have been worked out on these lines.	
1,004 0	296 0	One rent-collecting sarkar on Rs. 20+4 as personal allowance has been added to the present cost. Under the proposals of the majority and minority, the sarkar will go on to Rs. 25— $\frac{1}{2}$ —35 and Rs. 25—1—45, respectively. Government agree with the majority, and the proposed costs have been worked out accordingly.	

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7
		Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.
34	Executive Engineer, 2nd Calcutta Division.	2,520 0	2,520 0	2,520 0
35	Executive Engineer, 2nd Calcutta Division.	1,440 0	1,962 0	522 0	2,352 0	912 0
36	Executive Engineer, Electrical Division.	2,160 0	2,892 0	732 0	3,282 0	1,122 0
37	Superintending Engineer, Central Circle.	31,060 0	49,039 0	17,979 0	54,088 12	23,028 12
38	Executive Engineer, Burdwan Division.	1,260 9	1,962 0	702 0	2,352 0	1,092 0
39	Executive Engineer, Nadia Rivers Division.	4,020 0	6,540 0	2,520 0	7,840 0	3,820 0

Transferred Departments—continued.

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Proposed cost per annum.	Increase per annum.																	
8	9	10	11															
Rs. A.	Rs. A.																	
3,692 0	1,172 0	Only partially dealt with by the Committee. The following is the actual number of posts :— <table><tr><td></td><td>Present pay.</td><td>Pay proposed by this Government.</td></tr><tr><td></td><td>Rs.</td><td>Rs.</td></tr><tr><td>One rent collecting sarkar ...</td><td>20</td><td>25—$\frac{2}{3}$—35</td></tr><tr><td>One clerk ...</td><td>30</td><td>35—35—40—2—68—$\frac{1}{2}$—80</td></tr><tr><td>Two store-keepers</td><td>80</td><td>90—5—120</td></tr></table>		Present pay.	Pay proposed by this Government.		Rs.	Rs.	One rent collecting sarkar ...	20	25— $\frac{2}{3}$ —35	One clerk ...	30	35—35—40—2—68— $\frac{1}{2}$ —80	Two store-keepers	80	90—5—120	
	Present pay.	Pay proposed by this Government.																
	Rs.	Rs.																
One rent collecting sarkar ...	20	25— $\frac{2}{3}$ —35																
One clerk ...	30	35—35—40—2—68— $\frac{1}{2}$ —80																
Two store-keepers	80	90—5—120																
2,312 0	872 0	One sarkar on Rs. 20 left out by the Committee has been added to the present cost. That proposed by this Government includes this post on the scale of Rs. 25— $\frac{2}{3}$ —35.																
2,892 0	732 0	One personal allowance of Rs. 5 drawn by a blue-printer on Rs. 15 has been added to the present cost.																
48,473 0	17,413 0	The pay of the second correspondence clerk is Rs. 100 fixed and not Rs. 80—4—100 One post each on Rs. 55 and Rs. 45 and two on Rs. 35 each have been shown in excess in the report. One post on Rs. 40 has been shown less in the report. The number of typists on Rs. 30—2—50 is 4 and not 2 as shown in the report. In order to give the standard percentage increase, a scale of Rs. 40—2—80 is recommended for the tracer now on Rs. 25—2—35. The present cost and that proposed by this Government have been worked out accordingly.																
1,962 0	702 0																	
7,995 0	3,975 0	Three extra posts of muharrirs on Rs. 15— $\frac{1}{2}$ —20 omitted by the Committee have been added to the present cost. That proposed by this Government include these posts on the scale of Rs. 30—:—55.																

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		Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.
40	Superintending Engineer, Eastern Circle.	47,675 0	74,404 0	26,729 0	79,282 4	31,607 4
41	Executive Engineer, Chittagong Division.	930 0	1,344 0	414 0	1,500 0	570 0
42	Executive Engineer, Dacca Division.	240 0	240 0	...	240 0	...
43	Executive Engineer, Bakarganj Division.	1,260 0	1,962 0	702 0	2,352 0	1,092 0
44	Offices under the Director of Public Health.	5,540 0	6,640 0	1,100 0	7,056 0	1,516 0
45	Offices of Civil Surgeons ...	32,220 0	44,800 0	12,580 0	53,025 0	20,805 0
46	Dacca Medical School ...	1,440 0	2,020 0	580 0	2,382 0	942 0

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Proposed cost per annum.	Increase per annum.		
8	9	10	11
Rs. A.	Rs. A.		
77,470 0	29,795 0	<p>There were the following discrepancies in the proposition statements in the report which have been corrected in the present cost and that proposed by this Government :—</p> <p>One personal allowance of Rs. 10 for the present correspondence clerk on Rs. 100—4—120 has not been shown.</p> <p>One post of correspondence clerk each on Rs. 50, Rs. 40 and Rs. 30 has been shown in excess.</p> <p>One post of correspondence clerk on Rs. 45 and two on Rs. 35 and two probationers on Rs. 10 have been shown less.</p> <p>Two personal allowances of Rs. 10 and Rs. 8 drawn by two present clerks on Rs. 50 and Rs. 40 have not been shown.</p> <p>Two posts of unpassed accounts clerks on Rs. 30 have been shown less and one on Rs. 40 has been shown in excess.</p> <p>Two personal allowances of Rs. 10 and Rs. 5 drawn by two present unpassed accounts clerks on Rs. 50 and Rs. 40 have not been shown.</p> <p>There are two posts of tracers on Rs. 25—2—35 and not one as shown. To give the standard percentage increase, a scale of Rs. 40—2—80 is proposed for them.</p>	
1,344 0	414 0	There are no subdivisional clerks in this division.	
350 0	110 0	There are no subdivisional clerks, but one cash sarkar on Rs. 20 for whom a scale of Rs. 25—3—35 is proposed.	
...	—1,260 0	There are no subdivisional clerks in this division.	
7,360 0	1,820 0	The present pay of the clerk in the office of Assistant Director of Public Health, Burdwan Circle, is Rs. 40—2—50. The present cost and that proposed by Government include two posts on Rs. 40—2—60 recently sanctioned in place of the post on Rs. 30 shown in the report under the Sanitary Laboratory (now called Public Health Laboratory). No further change of pay is necessary in the case of these two posts.	
45,360 0	13,140 0	The number of posts on Rs. 30 is 6 and not 5 as shown in the proposition statement in the report. The present cost and that proposed by Government have been revised accordingly.	
2,020 0	580 0		

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		Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.
47	Mitford Hospital, Dacca ...	1,610 0	1,925 0	315 0	2,256 0	646 0
48	Dacca Lunatic Asylum ..	405 0	405 0	...	405 0	...
49	Ronaldshay Medical School, Burdwan.	510 0	510 0	...	510 0	...
50	Central Lunatic Asylum, Berhampore.	1,450 0	1,652 0	202 0	1,947 0	497 0
51	Registration offices (head- quarters and headquarters joint).	99,060 0	1,63,500 0	64,440 0	1,99,260 0	1,00,200 0
52	Registration offices (rural)	2,49,060 0	3,83,160 0	1,34,100 0	4,34,490 0	1,85,430 0

Transferred Departments—concluded.

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8	9	10	11
Rs. A.	Rs. A.		
2,225 0	615 0	The present cost and that proposed by Government include one duty allowance of Rs. 25 per mensem paid to the head clerk, Dacca Civil Surgeon's office, for doing the accounts work of the hospital.	
560 0	155 0	Not dealt with by the Committee.	
		There is only one clerk on Rs. 30—1—35 for whom a scale of Rs. 35—35—40— $\frac{2}{3}$ —60 is proposed.	
560 0	50 0	Not dealt with by the Committee. One clerk on Rs. 35—2—45 for whom Rs. 35—35—40— $\frac{2}{3}$ —60 is proposed.	
1,652 0	202 0		
1,65,240 0	66,180 0	The number of head clerks on Rs. 40—2—50 is 17. The number of other clerks on Rs. 40 is 9. The number of other clerks on Rs. 30 is 29. The number of apprentices on Rs. 10 is 96. The number of muharrirs on Rs. 25 in joint offices is 24. The present cost and that proposed by this Government include the above.	
3,84,360 0	1,35,300 0	The present cost and that proposed by this Government include one extra post on Rs. 25 and two extra posts on Rs. 20 each omitted by the Committee.	

**Statement showing the gauge-readings at Dacca Water-works station
on the river Buriganga for the week ending the 8th July 1922.**

Date.	At 7 A.M.	AT HIGHEST WATER.		AT LOWEST WATER.		At 6 P.M.	REMARKS.
		Time.	Readings.	Time.	Readings.		
1922.							
2nd July	61.9	...	...	...	...	61.9	No fall.
3rd "	62.0	...	...	...	...	62.1	
4th "	62.15	...	...	...	...	62.25	
5th "	62.5	...	...	...	...	62.7	
6th "	63.0	...	...	...	...	63.2	
7th "	63.5	...	...	...	...	63.6	
8th "	63.75	...	...	...	...	63.8	

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

					High.		
27th August	1906	...	...	...	70.5	} Taken at high tide.	
5th September	1909	...	...	...	67.86		
10th August	1910	...	...	...	69.86		
1st "	1911	...	...	...	68.46		
13th "	1912	...	...	...	67.16		
31st "	1915	...	...	...	69.7		
18th "	1916	...	...	...	68.1		
12th "	1917	...	...	...	67.1		
31st "	1918	...	...	...	69.12		
2nd "	1919	...	...	...	66.8		
8th September	1920	...	...	...	66.9	}	
28th July	1921	...	...	...	68.4		
					Low.		
23rd February	1907	...	...	...	51.06	} Taken at low tide.	
13th "	1908	...	...	...	51.06		
12th March	1912	...	...	...	51.06		
6th "	1914	...	...	...	50.60		
22nd February	1915	...	...	...	50.30		
15th "	1916	...	...	...	50.60		
3rd March	1917	...	...	...	51.0		
21st February	1918	...	...	...	51.40		
26th "	1919	...	...	...	50.4		
18th "	1920	...	...	...	50.9		
19th "	1921	...	...	...	50.9		

N.B.—Zero of the gauge at Dacca Water-works = -48.51 with reference to P. W. D. datum.

B. N. BAGCHI, for *Executive Engineer,*
Dacca, the 13th July 1922. *Dacca Division.*

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS.

For the week ending on the 12th July 1922.

Summary.—During the week, light to moderate rain fell generally throughout the Province. Transplantation of winter paddy is progressing briskly. Weeding of jute and *aus* paddy still continues in places; harvesting has commenced in low lands. The prospects of standing crops are on the whole fair. The average price of common rice for the Province has slightly fallen as compared with that of the previous week.

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEEDS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-PARGANAS	1.95	5	5	The effects of weather on the growth of jute and paddy are good. Weeding of jute and <i>aus</i> paddy and transplantation of <i>aman</i> paddy continue. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Diamond Harbour.	4.11	5½	5½	
	Barrackpore	1.66	5½	5½	
	Barasat ...	1.86	5½	5½	
	Basirhat ...	3.02	6½	6½	
2	NADIA ...	0.89	5½	6	Weeding of <i>aus</i> paddy and jute continues, but some damage was done by excessive rainfall in Ranaghat subdivision. Cattle-disease is reported from Haringhata and Ranaghat thanas. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Kushtia ...	0.84	6	6	
	Meherpur ...	1.11	6½	6½	
	Chuadanga ...	2.26	6½	6½	
	Ranaghat ...	2.21	5½	5½	
3	MURSHIDABAD	2.34	6	6	Prospects of standing crops are fair. Transplantation of <i>aman</i> paddy continues. Fodder is sufficient. No large import or export.
	Lalbagh ...	2.52	6	6	
	Jangipur ...	1.46	6	6	
	Kandi ...	1.70	6½	6½	
4	JESSORE ...	5.06	7½	7½	Weather cloudy. Weeding is in progress. Transplantation of <i>aman</i> paddy is going on. Prospects of standing crops are not favourable in some places. Export of paddy continues to be reported from Bongaon and Jhenidah subdivisions. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Jhenidah ...	1.74	5½	6½	
	Magura ...	1.74	6	6	
	Narail ...	1.96	6½	6½	
	Bongaon ...	1.39	6½	6½	
5	KHULNA ...	7.18	6½	6½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Ploughing of lands and sowing and transplanting of winter rice continue. The export of rice is going on from Bagerhat. Cattle-disease is reported from Morrelganj thana. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Satkhira ...	1.51	6	5½	
	Bagerhat ...	1.85	6½	6½	

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
6	BURDWAN ...	2.29	5½	5½	Weather hot and cloudy. Ploughing and sowing and transplantation of <i>aman</i> paddy continue. Jute, <i>aus</i> paddy and sugarcane have been affected at Kalna by constant rain.
	Asansol ...	3.25	5½	5½	
	Katwa ...	1.70	5½	6	
	Kalna ...	2.68	5½	5½	
7	BIRBHUM ...	2.62	5½	5½	Transplantation of paddy is going on. Fodder is dear, but water is sufficient.
	Rampurhat...	2.16	6	6	
8	BANKURA ...	3.20	6	6	Weather seasonable with occasional showers. Export of rice and paddy continues. Cattle-disease is reported from Bankura thana.
	Vishnupur...	1.19	6¼	6¼	
9	MIDNAPORE	4.20	6½	6½	Prospects of <i>bhadoi til</i> and broadcast winter rice are favourable. Transplantation of winter paddy continues in places. Fodder is sufficient except in Binpur thana.
	Jhargram ...	2.79	6¼	(n)	
	Ghatal ...	0.30	6¼	(n)	
	Tamluk ...	1.07	5½ ³ / ₁₆	5½ ³ / ₁₆	
	Contai ...	(n)	(n)	6½	
10	HOOGHLY ...	1.19	5	5	Effect of weather is favourable. Cattle-disease is prevalent in Balagar thana. Fodder is sufficient.
	Serampore ...	0.90	5½	5¼	
	Arambagh ...	0.88	6½	6½	
11	HOWRAH ...	3.05	5¼	5¼	Transplantation of paddy and weeding of jute are progressing; water-logged areas have not yet been fully drained.
	Uluberia ...	2.17	6	6	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA).	2.75	6	6	Harvesting of jute has commenced in some places. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Naogaon ...	2.91	5¼	5¼	
	Nator ...	1.91	5½	5½	
13	DINAJPUR ...	1.71	7 ³ / ₁₆	7½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of <i>bhadoi</i> paddy and jute are hopeful. Transplanting of winter paddy has commenced. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Thakurgaon	6.33	8	8	
	Balutghat ...	2.61	6½ ³ / ₁₆	6½ ³ / ₁₆	
14	JALPAIGURI	3.48	6¼	6¼	Weather favourable for the growth of jute and <i>bhadoi</i> paddy. Transplantation of <i>haimanti</i> paddy has commenced.
	Alipur ...	7.10	6	7	

(n) Not reported.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
15	DARJEELING	4.37	5	5	Maize is progressing well. Marna is being transplanted. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease exists in places.
	Kurseong ...	8.63	6	6	
	Siliguri ...	6.09	7	6	
	Kalimpong...	5.98	6	6	
16	RANPUR ...	3.05	7½	7½	Harvesting of <i>aus</i> paddy continues. Cattle-disease is reported from thana Gangachara. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Nilphamari	2.77	7½	7½	
	Kurigram ...	1.26	7	7	
	Gaibandha ...	4.79	6½	7	
17	BOGRA ...	1.73	6½	6½	Harvesting of jute and preparation of lands for winter paddy continue.
18	PABNA ...	4.89	5½	5½	Excessive rain during the week is unfavourable to jute and <i>aus</i> paddy. Harvesting of jute and <i>aus</i> paddy on low lands continues; the outturn of <i>aus</i> paddy is fair. Agricultural stock is sufficient. Grain market is steady. Rice market has a tendency to rise. Pasturage, fodder and water supplies are sufficient.
	Sirajganj ...	1.04	6	6½	
19	MALDA ...	2.37	6	6½	Transplantation of winter paddy has commenced.
20	COOCH BEHAR	3.11	7 ⁹ / ₁₆	7	Weather seasonable. Cultivation of lands for winter paddy and rearing of seedlings in the nurseries and transplantation in some places are in progress. Harvesting of <i>bitri</i> paddy and cutting and steeping of jute have commenced in places. Prospects of jute and other standing crops are favourable. Fodder is sufficient.
21	DACCA ...	2.41	5½	5½	Weather hot with occasional showers. Steeping of jute and harvesting of <i>aus</i> are going on. River level is rising. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Manikganj...	1.20	6	5½	
	Narayanganj	0.91	6	6	
	Munshiganj (a)	1.35	5½	(n)	
22	MYMENSINGH	1.83	6½	6½	Weather seasonable. Transplanting of winter paddy continues. Sudden rise of water has proved detrimental to jute. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Jamalpur ...	3.46	7	7	
	Tangail ...	(n)	5½	5½	
	Netrakona ...	3.58	6½	6 ³ / ₁₆	
	Kishorganj...	2.37	6½	6½	

(a) Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district, rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

(n) Not reported.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
23	FARIDPUR ...	2.13	{ 5½ 6½*	5½ 6½	Recent rainfall has proved beneficial to the standing crops. Weeding of jute and autumn paddy still continues. Prospects of jute and paddy are fair. Fodder is sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Baliakandi and Goalundo ghat thanas in Goalundo subdivision.
	Goalundo (Rajbari).	1.63	5½	5½	
	Madaripur ...	1.72	5½	5½	
	Gopalganj (a)	2.41	6	6	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	0.76	5½	5½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Pirojpur ...	1.42	5½	5½	
	Patuakhali...	1.98	5½	(n)	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	1.03	5½	5½	
25	CHITTAGONG	6.23	{ 5 6*	5½ 6*	Transplantation of <i>aman</i> and <i>aus</i> crops is in progress. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder is sufficient. <i>Panga</i> salt is selling at 13 and 10 seers per rupee at Sadar and Cox's Bazar, respectively.
	Cox's Bazar	3.08	6	6	
26	TIPPERA (COMILLA).	3.30	5½	5½	<i>Aus</i> paddy and jute crop are progressing well. Harvesting of jute is going in Chandpur subdivision.
	Erahmanbaria.	1.53	5½	5½	
	Chandpur ...	2.70	6½	5	
27	NOAKHALI ...	3.73	5½	5½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are good. Continuous heavy downpour of rain has affected paddy in Chhagalnaya and Pashuram thanas in Feni subdivision. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Senbag.
	Feni ...	4.09	5½	5½	
28	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.	4.73	5	5	Prospects of standing crops are favourable. Fodder and water are sufficient.
29	TRIPURA STATE.	3.43	5	5	Weather seasonable. Weeding of <i>jhoom</i> crops and jute has begun. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Cleaned cotton is selling at Rs. 15 to Rs. 35 per maund. Fodder and water are sufficient. Condition of cattle is good.

* Burna rice.

(a) The rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

(n) Not reported.

J. C. ROY,

for Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

DACCA, the 15th July 1922.

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending the 8th July 1922.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above zero.	Height of surface above P. W. D. datum.	Height of surface above P. W. D. datum on the same date last year.	Remarks.
1922.					
2nd July	8 A.M.	49.40	49.40	46.50	P. W. D. datum 6.25 feet above Kidderpore old dock sill.
3rd "	8 "	49.70	49.70	46.90	
4th "	8 "	50.00	50.00	47.55	
5th "	8 "	50.30	50.30	48.30	B. M. on College step 64.93
6th "	8 "	50.60	50.60	48.90	
7th "	8 "	51.00	51.00	49.45	
8th "	8 "	51.50	51.50	49.70	

		Old value.	According to P. W. D. datum.
The previous year	Highest water-level	on 7th September 1921	60.80
Ditto	Lowest	on 27th April 1922	34.70
		on 28th April 1922	
		on 9th May 1922	
Record	Highest	69.25 on 26th August 1879	64.44
Do.	Ditto	69.08 on 9th September 1885	64.27
Do.	Ditto	68.30 on 25th August 1906	63.47
Do.	Ditto	68.21 on 26th August 1890	63.40
Do.	Lowest	37.63 on 25th April 1884	32.82
Do.	Ditto	38.13 on 14th and 15th April 1883	33.32
Do.	Ditto	39.02 on 21st and 22nd April 1897	34.21
Do.	Ditto	39.28 on 6th and 7th May 1908	34.47

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

JADAB CH. GHOSH, for *Subdivisional Officer*,
BOALIA, the 8th July 1922. *P. W. D., Jangipore.*

Statement of weekly gauge readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending the 8th July 1922.

Mouth and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
1922.					
2nd July	7 A.M.	19.9	19.9	20.2	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
3rd "	7 "	20.0	20.0	20.8	
4th "	7 "	20.1	20.1	21.3	The bench-mark for the gauge is on a pucca pillar between the passenger ghat and Chandpur ghat.
5th "	7 "	20.4	20.4	21.9	
6th "	7 "	20.7	20.7	22.4	
7th "	7 "	21.0	21.0	22.9	
8th "	7 "	21.4	21.4	21.1	Its reduced level is 26.84.

The previous year	Highest water-level	25.8 on 27th July 1921.
Ditto	Lowest	4.3 on 19th February and 4th March 1921.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	Highest	25.75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	Ditto	25.74 on 20th and 21st August 1893.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	Ditto	25.66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra only)	Ditto	25.65 on 31st July 1900.
Do.	Lowest	1.0 on 8th February 1914.
Do.	Ditto	2.42 on 13th March 1908.
Do.	Ditto	2.91 on 21st to 24th February and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Do.	Ditto	3.16 on 9th to 11th March 1885.
Do.	Ditto	3.16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1904.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

R. C. GUHA, for *Subdivisional Officer*,
RAJBARI, the 9th July 1922. *P. W. D., Faridpur.*

Vital Statistics for the month of March 1922 of the Districts

Division.	No.	Districts.	POPULATION UNDER REGISTRATION ACCORDING TO CENSUS OF 1921.			BIRTHS REGISTERED.		DEATHS							
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Still-born number registered.	Chol. ra.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Malaria.	Enteric fever.	Measles.	Relapsing fever.	Kala-Azar.
Burdwan ...	1	Burdwan ...	689,282	673,993	1,363,275	3,555	30	120	16	...	2,608	...	...	...	1
	2	Birbhum ...	422,966	424,584	847,550	2,530	73	9	5	...	1,479	1	...	...	...
	3	Bankura ...	480,935	483,552	964,487	2,727	2	60	8	...	259	120	5	...	30
	4	Midnapur ...	1,318,373	1,308,652	2,626,925	6,636	31	490	140	...	2,092	9	15	24	3
	5	Hooghly ...	468,451	462,093	930,544	2,469	...	60	13	...	1,745	...	...	...	...
	6	Howrah ...	391,425	387,478	778,903	1,675	4	286	27	...	495	13	2	...	4
Presidency	7	24-Parganas ...	1,062,266	989,125	2,051,391	5,270	61	836	22	1	1,565	10	2	6	4
	8	Nadua ...	731,335	693,552	1,424,887	4,387	44	27	9	...	2,700	...	...	...	...
	9	Murshidabad ...	591,676	599,742	1,191,418	3,946	194	121	46	...	2,137	5	...	5	...
	10	Jessore ...	887,182	824,896	1,712,080	4,609	169	338	9	...	3,479	46	4	...	...
	11	Khulna ...	741,741	684,945	1,426,686	3,601	117	164	3	...	1,318	...	4	1	3
Rajshahi ...	12	Rajshahi ...	763,539	711,538	1,465,077	3,962	216	312	...	...	3,423	...	1	...	...
	13	Dinajpur ...	885,427	801,901	1,687,328	5,163	214	6	5	...	3,189	...	...	...	1
	14	Jalpaiguri ...	494,432	427,317	921,749	1,814	79	...	56	...	1,052	...	...	...	...
	15	Darjeeling ...	136,217	124,273	260,490	582	31	...	...	...	342	...	2	...	...
	16	Rangpur ...	1,304,781	1,183,997	2,488,778	5,551	258	11	10	...	2,657	...	...	...	...
	17	Bogra ...	531,470	504,814	1,036,284	2,029	96	11	1	...	909	...	...	...	...
	18	Pabna ...	682,594	662,039	1,344,633	3,096	132	15	1	...	1,632	...	...	...	...
Dacca ...	19	Malda ...	478,572	480,103	958,675	2,940	45	3	2	...	1,348	...	...	...	...
	20	Dacca ...	1,486,445	1,490,470	2,976,915	7,501	340	685	75	...	1,465	...	...	...	...
	21	Mymensingh ...	2,447,431	2,278,696	4,726,126	9,599	345	297	96	...	1,490	6	...	138	3
	22	Faridpur ...	1,124,061	1,085,397	2,210,058	5,076	169	196	16	...	2,984	...	...	...	...
	23	Bakarganj ...	1,318,064	1,265,107	2,583,171	7,879	210	445	1	...	1,358	40	36	12	3
Chittagong	24	Chittagong ...	753,765	821,627	1,575,392	3,418	288	34	138	...	207	294	1	...	...
	25	Noakhali ...	738,722	734,064	1,472,786	3,856	252	203	3	...	1,066	...	...	...	...
	26	Tippura ...	1,367,598	1,311,029	2,678,627	4,520	281	512	6	...	143	8	1	16	...
	27	Chittagong Hill Tracts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Not under
Total of month for Bengal ...			22,288,560	21,414,985	43,703,545	108,732	3,676	5,241	714	1	43,227	552	73	202	52
Total of corresponding month of previous year.			...	...	...	152,678	6,300	6,832	1,743	3	82,703	781	69	720	47
Increase + or decrease -			...	...	...	-43,946	-1,624	-1,591	-1,029	-2	-39,476	-229	+4	-518	+5

REMARKS.—1. The above table is compiled from returns collected by the thana officers and submitted to the Director of Public Health by the Civil Surgeons.
 2. The vital statistics of municipalities with a population of less than 10,000 have been included in this statement with those of the respective divisions.
 3. Divisional totals and the birth and death rates per mille per annum have been omitted from the statement according to the Government of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, the 8th July 1922.

excluding Towns with a population of 10,000 and over in Bengal.

REGISTERED.

Other fevers.	Dysentery.	Diarrhoea.	Influenza.	Pneumonia.	Phthisis.	Other respira- tory diseases.	Injuries includ- ing suicide.	Deaths from childbirth.	Other causes.	Total of all causes.			Total of corresponding month of previous year.			No.	Districts.
										Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.		
229	49	3	...	15	3	33	17	10	431	1,918	1,617	3,535	4,799	4,363	9,162	1	Burdwan.
187	5	2	...	15	1	2	12	1	304	1,047	976	2,023	2,957	2,469	5,426	2	Birbhum.
1,141	28	52	9	44	5	18	17	...	409	1,183	1,022	2,205	3,004	2,730	5,734	3	Bankura.
1,392	143	74	9	201	34	24	46	...	753	2,919	2,536	5,455	5,806	5,233	10,839	4	Midnapur.
44	33	45	4	65	3	11	14	...	349	1,262	1,122	2,384	2,231	1,915	4,146	5	Hooghly.
496	93	83	...	29	3	29	27	33	205	957	868	1,825	1,363	1,109	2,472	6	Howrah.
1,862	40	42	4	73	28	21	63	...	575	2,536	2,318	5,154	3,424	2,913	6,337	7	24-Parganas.
279	13	1	41	176	11	7	38	...	417	2,064	1,685	2,749	4,408	4,001	8,409	8	Nadia.
235	6	4	...	8	3	9	23	3	589	1,778	1,418	2,196	3,449	2,802	6,251	9	Murshidabad.
55	6	7	12	54	11	8	30	67	416	2,550	1,989	4,539	4,055	3,688	7,743	10	Jessore.
179	21	3	12	3	3	7	44	...	602	1,321	1,046	2,367	1,893	1,548	3,441	11	Khulna.
2	8	...	...	2	1	8	30	1	327	2,243	1,872	4,115	2,872	2,699	5,501	12	Rajshahi.
1,079	...	2	1	13	2	1	20	4	133	2,422	1,994	4,456	3,435	2,929	6,364	13	Dinajpur.
394	19	11	...	31	5	25	7	4	67	511	650	1,461	1,631	1,391	3,022	14	Jalpaiguri.
229	22	2	59	3	2	8	6	...	91	437	329	757	619	431	950	15	Darjeeling.
684	...	...	...	1	...	1	22	5	75	2,005	1,461	3,466	3,607	3,452	7,059	16	Rangpur.
505	9	1	15	13	...	3	11	4	80	942	710	1,652	1,425	1,096	2,521	17	Bogra.
323	3	2	...	...	2	...	16	113	117	1,148	1,076	2,221	2,067	1,761	3,738	18	Pabna.
17	...	...	...	...	3	5	4	...	155	868	669	1,537	2,155	1,773	3,928	19	Malda.
2,299	99	2	...	9	...	8	28	2	1,014	3,113	2,573	5,686	4,281	3,601	7,882	20	Dacca.
3,753	52	20	...	21	17	23	31	12	930	3,785	3,104	6,889	4,714	3,768	8,482	21	Mymensingh.
...	36	...	...	...	3	11	34	...	469	2,053	1,696	3,749	3,431	3,047	6,478	22	Faridpur.
1,562	62	7	...	15	...	57	74	2	1,236	2,726	2,174	4,900	4,145	3,454	7,599	23	Bakarganj.
2,693	12	19	...	4	1	2	23	...	118	1,906	1,640	3,546	1,628	1,416	3,044	24	Chittagong.
950	19	...	...	...	...	...	34	...	316	1,453	1,138	2,591	1,657	1,502	3,159	25	Noakhali.
2,223	92	1	...	1	...	0	22	...	520	1,977	1,577	3,554	2,414	2,040	4,454	26	Tippura.
registration.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	27	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
22,643	860	283	166	796	141	330	695	261	10,678	47,764	39,261	87,015	...	...	...
30,663	1,324	230	796	1,306	67	792	1,052	95	14,898	77,170	66,971	144,141		
-3,040	-464	+153	-630	-510	+74	-462	-357	+166	-4,220	-29,406	-27,720	-57,126		

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Vital Statistics for the month of March 1922 of the

Districts.	No.	Towns.	POPULATION UNDER REGISTRATION ACCORDING TO CENSUS OF 1921.			BIRTHS REGISTERED.		Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Malaria.	Enteric fever.	Measles.	Relapsing fever.	Kala-azar.
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Still-born number registered.								
Burdwan	1	Burdwan	19,583	15,033	34,616	23	...	2	...	...	15	...	...	...	3
	2	Raniganj	8,040	6,496	14,536	11	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3	Asansol	15,464	11,035	26,499	62	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bankura	4	Bankura	13,523	11,889	25,412	28	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...
	5	Vishnupur	9,736	9,662	19,398	39	...	...	...	...	23	...	...	...	...
	6	Sonamukhi	6,140	5,504	10,644	21	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	...
Midnapur	7	Midnapur	16,724	13,241	29,965	52	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
	8	Ghatal	5,655	5,115	10,770	39	...	2	...	...	5	...	1	...	...
Hooghly	9	Hooghly-Chinsura	16,723	13,215	29,938	61	...	12	...	...	14	...	...	...	...
	10	Sorampur	20,210	12,687	32,897	64	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	11	Rishra-Konnagar	15,030	8,229	23,259	22	...	6	...	...	7	...	...	...	...
	12	Baidyabati	9,174	7,297	16,471	44	...	...	...	...	14	...	...	...	...
	13	Bhadreswar	14,487	7,594	22,081	24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Howrah	14	Champdani	17,193	7,459	24,652	25	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
	15	Howrah	128,472	66,829	195,301	246	22	73	99	...	29	22	...	...	1
	16	Bally	16,264	7,945	24,209	29	...	11	1	...	4	...	...	...	...
	17	Cossipur-Chitpur	36,289	20,185	56,474	76	6	23	...	...	4	...	3	...	...
	18	Maniktala	40,996	26,376	67,372	71	7	20	...	...	23	2	...	...	...
	19	South Suburban	19,663	14,262	33,925	88	...	8	...	...	16	...	...	...	...
	20	Tollyganj	13,326	8,311	21,637	47	2	1	...	...	3	3	...	...	...
	21	Garden Reach	29,373	16,194	45,567	67	...	13	10	...	13	3	2	...	...
	22	Budge-Budge	17,883	7,840	25,723	29	...	29	1	...	3	2	...	...	...
	23	Baranagar	19,989	12,096	32,084	45	2	14	...	...	4	2	1	7	1
	24	Kamarhati	14,965	8,052	23,017	22	...	2	...	...	7	...	...	...	...
	25	Rajpur	5,760	5,652	11,412	19	1	...	...	...	9	...	...	...	...
	26	South Dum-Dum	8,736	5,294	14,030	20	...	...	1	...	7	...	...	...	...
24 Parganas	27	Barrakpur	14,877	7,583	22,460	16	...	1	...	...	13	...	...	...	...
	28	Panihati	6,148	4,013	10,161	15	...	2	...	...	5	...	...	...	...
	29	North Barrakpur	9,452	5,381	14,833	19	...	2	2	...	8	...	...	...	...
	30	Titagarh	26,533	15,918	42,451	66	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	67	...
	31	Gurulla	9,077	4,019	13,096	6	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...
	32	Naihati	15,464	7,822	23,286	55	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...
	33	Kanchrapara	7,182	3,150	10,332	11	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	...	...
	34	Bhatpara	45,723	19,886	65,609	49	...	3	2	...	...	...	1	...	...
	35	Basirhat	10,162	8,105	18,267	64	...	16	...	...	...	...	...	19	...
	36	Baduria	7,434	6,623	14,057	37	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...
Calcutta	37	Calcutta	617,590	290,261	907,851	1,284	88	224	119	16	92	30	11	2	24
Nadia	38	Krishnagar	11,377	10,932	22,309	31	...	...	...	...	12	...	...	...	...
	39	Nadia or Nabadwip	7,291	8,293	15,584	20	...	1	...	...	10	...	...	...	...
	40	Santipur	11,342	13,450	24,792	80	...	...	...	...	14	...	...	...	...

Towns with a population of 10,000 and over in Bengal.

DEATHS REGISTERED.										Total of all causes.			Total of corresponding month of previous year.			No.	Towns.		
Other fevers.	Dysentery.	Diarrhoea.	Influenza.	Pneumonia.	Phthisis.	Other respiratory diseases.	Injuries including suicide.	Deaths from child-birth.	Other causes.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.				
...	11	9	...	4	62	34	96.01	16	80.2	50	71.0	44	115	1	Bardwan.
...	6	...	1	3	1	...	3	...	8	12	31.44	8	22.8	20	18	19	37	2	Raniganj.
...	16	2	3	...	3	1	3	4	...	5	26	11	37	40	16	66	3	Asansol.	
...	...	...	...	6	2	2	...	...	6	10	27.01	9	19	35	21	66	4	Bankura.
...	...	6	...	...	...	6	...	...	6	29	61.03	12	41	40	39	79	5	Vishnupur.
...	8	...	1	1	5	1	...	...	8	13	31.01	8	21	28	38	66	6	Sonamukhi.
...	13	3	4	1	9	3	2	3	...	10	18	30	48	43	51	74	7	Midnapur.	
...	19	...	3	...	4	1	2	...	1	21	33.41	17	38	31	52	63	8	Ghatal.	
...	...	8	...	15	4	...	...	...	11	36	52.31	28	64	42	32	74	9	Hooghly-Chinsura.
...	24	6	...	...	...	7	1	...	13	30	50.31	28	58	33	26	64	10	Serampur.
...	7	5	...	...	...	2	1	...	4	19	35.21	13	32	26	23	54	11	Rishra-Konnagar.
...	...	4	...	...	2	...	2	...	7	16	36.21	10	26	25	35	60	12	Baidyabati.
...	5	...	1	...	...	3	1	...	6	10	31.02	6	16	18	10	28	13	Bhadreswar.
...	9	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	8	8	20.11	7	15	55	16	71	14	Champdali.
...	92	42	40	...	50	13	56	10	149	398	559.11	278	676	446	323	769	15	Howrah.	
...	20	...	4	...	...	...	1	...	12	33	64.46	20	53	27	17	44	16	Bally.
...	28	2	4	3	8	1	12	3	32	74	60.30	49	123	65	54	119	17	Cossipur-Jadpur.	
...	3	1	19	4	29	8	28	...	68	112	99.22	100	212	122	103	225	18	Manikiala.	
...	...	9	...	...	...	9	...	...	8	25	31.22	25	50	29	41	70	19	South Suburban.
...	3	5	...	...	4	...	2	...	9	9	21.11	12	21	12	14	26	20	Tollygunj.
...	36	18	9	...	17	...	4	...	35	89	216.41	66	155	68	41	109	21	Garden Reach.	
...	13	...	5	...	1	...	3	...	4	28	39.41	33	61	18	11	29	22	Budge-Budge.	
...	13	11	1	...	3	...	2	3	...	11	46	27	73	67	43	110	23	Baranagar.	
...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	18	30.31	2	20	29	14	43	24	Kamrhatti.
...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	8	8	20.32	3	11	13	9	22	25	Rajpur.
...	1	...	1	...	1	1	2	3	...	6	16	7	23	15	10	25	26	South Dum-Dum.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	4	6	13.31	9	15	13	13	28	27	Barrakpur.
...	1	1	1	...	3	...	20	...	3	12	30.31	8	120	14	12	28	28	Pandit.	
...	...	1	...	...	...	16	1	...	4	10	31.32	9	19	21	46	29	30	North Barrakpur.
...	...	2	3	...	8	...	...	...	2	46	31.32	29	75	103	52	160	30	Titagarh.
...	...	1	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	5	1	6	7	6	13	31	Garulia.	
...	12	3	1	...	2	1	5	...	13	27	31.315	13	40	15	20	35	32	Naihati.	
...	1	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	4	4	10.4	3	7	9	4	13	33	Kanchrapara.
...	14	...	2	...	3	1	2	...	4	23	33	10	33	39	36	75	34	Bhatpara.	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	12	28	35	25	53	19	20	39	35	Basirhat.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	13	3	5	18	12	3	20	36	Baduria.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	13	4	17	11	17	28	38	38	Krishnagar.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	11	12	23	31	28	59	39	39	Nadia or Nabadwip.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	16	17	33	48	48	91	40	40	Santipur.

Vital Statistics for the month of March 1922 of the

Districts	No.	Towns	POPULATION UNDER REGISTRATION ACCORDING TO CENSUS OF 1921.			BIRTHS REGISTERED.		Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Malaria.	Enteric fever.	Measles.	Relapsing fever.	Kala-azar.
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Still-born number registered.								
Murshidabad.	41	Berhampur ...	14,719	11,951	26,670	33	...	4	5	...	5	...	...	...	1
	42	Murshidabad ...	5,401	5,298	10,699	23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	43	Azinganj ...	5,376	5,355	11,231	24	...	1	...	...	16	...	...	...	...
	44	Kandi ...	5,903	5,884	11,787	26	...	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	45	Jangiput ...	5,167	5,572	10,739	18	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	...
Jessore	46	Jessore ...	5,410	3,729	10,139	2	...	3	...	...	6	...	...	...	...
Khulna	47	Khulna ...	10,235	5,814	16,049	18	...	6	...	...	13	...	...	...	...
	48	Satkhira ...	5,548	4,751	10,299	8	...	...	...	...	8	...	...	...	...
Rajshahi	49	Rampur-Boalia ...	13,829	10,767	24,596	56	...	...	2	...	17	...	...	...	...
Dinajpur	50	Dinajpur ...	10,973	7,052	18,025	8	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...
Jalpaiguri	51	Jalpaiguri ...	8,965	5,555	14,520	21	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...
Darjeeling	52	Darjeeling ...	12,877	9,381	22,258	29	...	3	...	...	4	...	...	...	...
Rangpur	53	Rangpur ...	12,059	7,017	19,076	40	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...
Bogra	54	Bogra ...	7,257	5,065	12,322	15	...	...	...	...	13	...	...	...	...
Pabna	55	Pabna ...	10,352	8,991	19,343	16	...	...	...	...	13	...	...	...	...
	56	Sirajganj ...	13,766	11,762	25,518	10	...	2	1	...	5	...	...	...	...
Halda	57	English Bazar ...	7,869	6,188	14,057	18	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...
	58	Nawabganj ...	5,081	6,552	12,633	22	...	1	...	...	5	...	...	...	...
Dacca	59	Dacca ...	67,833	52,117	119,950	353	...	4	14	2	...	7	...	1	20
	60	Narayanganj ...	10,442	11,160	20,602	97	...	2	7	...	...	...	...	...	...
	61	Mymensingh ...	16,597	8,690	25,287	33	...	2	11	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mymensingh	62	Jamulpur ...	12,566	10,547	23,113	43	...	1	1	...	...	20	...	...	...
	63	Sherpur ...	9,768	8,045	17,813	59	...	1	2	...	...	1	...	...	...
	64	Kishoreganj ...	10,600	8,918	19,518	25	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	65	Bajitpur ...	5,946	5,622	11,568	24	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
Faridpur	66	Taogail ...	7,542	6,763	14,305	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	67	Paiddpur ...	8,772	5,731	14,503	37	...	...	3	...	...	9	...	...	...
	68	Madaripur ...	14,309	10,888	25,207	55	...	2	26	...	...	16	...	...	...
Bakarganj	69	Barisal ...	17,584	9,160	26,744	14	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...
	70	Pirojpur ...	7,515	6,326	13,841	54	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chittagong	71	Chittagong ...	24,117	11,013	35,130	109	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tippera	72	Comilla ...	15,535	10,281	25,816	29	...	...	29	...	...	...	...	...	...
	73	Brahmanbaria ...	12,367	11,047	23,414	80	...	2	10	...	...	...	...	...	1
	74	Chandpur ...	10,636	4,482	15,118	21	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total of month ...			1,769,376	1,049,372	2,818,748	4,562	...	133	633	248	16	554	71	21	86
Total of corresponding month of previous year.			...	...	...	4,557	...	180	1,005	47	14	861	67	39	17
Increase + or decrease —			...	...	...	— 995	...	— 247	— 372	+ 201	+ 2	— 307	+ 4	— 18	+ 69

REMARKS—1. The above table is compiled from returns collected by the municipalities and submitted to the Director of Public Health by the Civil Surgeons, and in a few instances are obviously incomplete.
 2. The vital statistics of municipalities with a population of less than 10,000 have been excluded from this statement and incorporated.
 3. The birth and death ratios per mille per annum have been omitted from this statement according to the Government of India.

Towns with a population of 10,000 and over in Bengal.

DEATHS REGISTERED.											Total of all causes.			Total of corresponding month of previous year.			No.	Towns.
Other fevers.	Dysentery.	Diarrhoea.	Infuenza.	Pneumonia.	Phthisis.	Other respiratory diseases.	Injuries including suicides.	Deaths from child-birth.	Other causes.		Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.		
4	1	3	...	7	1	...	3	...	17		26	25	51	44	38	62	41	Berhampur.
24	...	2	...	2	...	1	...	...	1		11	19	30	20	21	41	42	Murshidabad.
...	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	3		16	7	23	23	21	54	43	Azimganj.
8	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	4		18	10	28	13	13	26	44	Kandi.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		3	7	10	20	15	35	45	Jangipur.
...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	3		9	4	13	8	2	10	46	Jessore.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1		16	4	20	17	6	23	47	Khulna.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2		5	5	10	11	3	14	48	Batkhira.
...	3	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	14		16	22	38	34	19	53	49	Rampur-Boalia.
...	1	...	...	6	...	2	...	...	3		12	3	15	12	6	18	50	Dinajpur.
...	4	...	...	...	...	7	1	...	6		14	6	20	17	7	24	51	Jalpaiguri.
2	...	1	10	1	...	2	...	...	8		11	17	28	46	30	76	52	Darjeeling.
...	2	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	4		9	7	16	46	9	25	53	Rangpur.
...	...	...	...	4	...	...	5	...	5		18	9	27	17	9	26	54	Bogra.
...	2	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	3		14	6	20	12	10	22	55	Pabna.
...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	1		8	3	11	71	21	92	56	Straiganj.
2	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	8		10	4	14	26	22	48	57	English Bazar.
...	4	...	...	4	1	...	...	...	2		10	7	17	32	17	49	58	Nawabganj.
101	15	4	9	19	4	5	3	...	109		182	131	313	172	126	298	59	Dacca.
18	2	5	...	2	1	2	1	...	31		37	32	69	42	28	70	60	Narayanganj.
16	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	11		21	20	41	6	2	8	61	Mymensingh.
...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	7		20	10	30	21	21	42	62	Jamulpur.
2	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	17		13	11	24	21	22	43	63	Sherpur.
2	1	2	...	...	...	2	...	...	2		7	2	9	9	7	16	64	Kishorganj.
4	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	4		5	7	12	7	5	12	65	Bajitpur.
8	1	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	1		9	4	13	12	12	24	66	Tangail.
...	1	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	5		11	10	21	15	15	30	67	Faridpur.
...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	5		22	27	49	16	18	34	68	Madaripur.
9	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8		18	3	21	6	4	10	69	Barisal.
5	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	5		12	2	14	6	5	11	70	Pirojpur.
37	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	30		47	28	75	27	33	60	71	Chittagong.
8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13		30	20	50	7	10	17	72	Comilla.
23	3	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	7		24	23	47	24	29	53	73	Brahmanbaria.
...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4		7	1	8	8	3	11	74	Chandpur.
761	343	234	159	522	240	519	102	7	1,608		3,667	2,577	6,264	...	...	...
961	530	273	243	662	200	974	120	28	1,704		4,429	3,260	7,689		
-210	-187	-39	-87	-40	+40	-355	-18	-21	-96		-742	-683	-1,425		

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IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS FOR THE OFFICIAL YEAR 1922-23.

Area leased for irrigation up to end of May 1922.

Circle.	District.	Canal.	Estimated full discharge, C. ft.	Average discharge in month, C. ft.	Discharge utilized, C. ft.	Approximate area of land irrigated during the year up to the end of the month, Acres.	Approximate area of land under irrigation up to the same date last year, Acres.	DETAILS OF AREAS LEASED.						RAINFALL, 1922-23.		RAINFALL, 1921-22.	
								Long-term leases, Acres.	Rahat, Acres.	Sugarcane, Acres.	Hot weather, Acres.	Total, Acres.	Grand total, Acres.	During month, Inches.	Up to end of month, Inches.	During month, Inches.	Up to end of month, Inches.
S-W Circle.	Midnapore	{ Midnapore Panchikura Total Reaches, Ranges I and II Total Midnapore Canal Total of the corresponding period last year.	1,411	35	64,735	64,735	0.91	1.77	0.48	3.24
			522	18	...	...	6,382	10	...	6,392	1.50	3.32	2.00	3.36	
			...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4.34	5.91	2.23	2.19
					
S-W Circle.	Howrah	{ Total Reaches, Ranges I and II Total Midnapore Canal Total of the corresponding period last year.	71,117	10	71,127	
			...	...	...	...	64,884	850	...	65,734	...	...	...	...
					
					
S-W Circle.	Burdwan and Hooghly.	{ ... Total of the corresponding period last year Grand Total Grand Total of the corresponding period of last year.	1,000	96	18,345	...	13	18,360	3.99	4.16	5.27	6.46	
			17,386	...	2	17,399	
			89,462	10	...	89,487	
			82,270	850	...	83,123	

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CALCUTTA, the 13th July 1922.

Statement showing the daily gauge-readings of certain rivers at the stations named below for week ending Thursday, the 13th July 1922.

Name of river and place where readings are taken.	Date.	Hour.	Reading on gauge.	Value of zero referred to P. W. D. datum.	Height above P. W. D. datum.	COMPARED WITH PREVIOUS DAY'S HEIGHT.		HEIGHT ABOVE P. W. D. DATUM ON SAME DATE IN—		Remarks.
						Rise.	Fall.	1921.	1920.	
Ganges ...	7th July 1922	6 A.M. ...	114.50'	0.00'	114.50'	1.20'	...	112.70'	109.20'	
	7th "	6 " ...	17.90'	56.319'	74.219'	0.60'	...	73.719'	68.419'	
	7th "	8 hours ...	21.00'	4.896'	25.896'	0.30'	...	27.796'	25.696'	
Brahmaputra	7th "	8 A.M. ...	26.60'	135.18'	161.78'	0.70'	...	162.48'	162.08'	
	7th "	12 hours ...	39.10'	1.509'	40.609'	0.20'	...	41.809'	42.209'	
	7th "	9 A.M. ...	21.00'	314.18'	335.18'	Steady.		332.78'	332.88'	
	7th "	6 hours ...	15.25'	1.61'	16.86'	0.17'	...	19.19'	16.63'	
Meghna	7th "	17 hours ...	10.83'	1.61'	12.44'	Steady.		12.61'	13.11'	
	7th "	7 " ...	25.80'	1.509'	27.309'	Steady.		30.609'	28.609'	
	7th "	7 A.M. ...	26.40'	- 8.62'	17.78'	0.30'	...	16.68'	17.68'	
Dhaleswari	7th "	6 " ...	14.79'	1.509'	16.299'	...	0.33'	6.889'	5.549'	
Bhagirathi	7th "	6 " ...	10.58'	92.58'	103.16'	3.58'	...	95.16'	99.24'	
Damodar	7th "	6 " ...	21.08'	- 5.59'	15.49'	0.54'	...	15.89'	15.68'	
Lakhya	7th "	6 " ...	10.60'	- 0.599'	10.001'	0.15'	...	9.601'	10.001'	
Madaripur Bil Route (Lower Kumar).	7th "	6 " ...								

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						Rise.	Fall.	1921.	1920.	
Ganges ...	8th July 1922 ...	6 A.M. ...	116.00'	0.00'	116.00'	1.50'	...	112.10'	110.60'	
	8th " ...	6 " ...	18.70'	56.319'	75.019'	0.80'	...	73.519'	68.769'	
	8th " ...	8 hours ...	21.40'	4.896'	26.296'	0.40'	...	25.996'	25.796'	
Brahmaputra	8th " ...	8 A.M. ...	26.10'	135.18'	161.28'	...	0.50'	162.28'	161.78'	
	8th " ...	12 hours ...	39.10'	1.509'	40.609'	Steady		42.109'	42.109'	
	8th " ...	9 A.M. ...	19.80'	31.4.18'	333.98'	...	1.20'	333.48'	333.18'	
Meghna	8th " ...	6 hours ...	15.58'	1.61'	17.19'	0.33'	...	19.28'	...	
	8th " ...	17-30 hours	11.33'	1.61'	12.94'	0.50'	...	12.86'	13.11'	
	8th " ...	7 hours ...	25.80'	1.509'	27.309'	Steady		30.609'	28.809'	
Dhaleswari	8th " ...	7 A.M. ...	26.60'	-8.62'	17.98'	0.20'	...	17.08'	17.98'	
Bhagirathi	8th " ...	6 " ...	15.08'	1.509'	16.589'	0.29'	...	7.389'	5.889'	
Damodar	8th " ...	6 " ...	9.42'	92.58'	102.00'	..	1.71'	95.08'	101.00'	
Lakhya	8th " ...	6 " ...	21.37'	-5.59'	15.78'	0.29'	...	15.97'	15.55'	
Madaripur Bil Route (Lower Kumar).	8th " ...	6 " ...	10.80'	-0.599'	10.201'	0.20'	...	9.801'	10.201'	

Statement showing the daily gauge-readings of certain rivers at the stations named below for week ending Thursday, the 13th July 1922.

Name of river and place where readings are taken.	Date.	Hour.	Reading on gauge.	Value of zero referred to P. W. D. datum.	Height above P. W. D. datum.	COMPARED WITH PREVIOUS DAY'S HEIGHT.		HEIGHT ABOVE P. W. D. DATUM ON SAME DATE IN—		Remarks.
						Rise.	Fall.	1921.	1920.	
Ganges ...	9th July 1922	6 A.M.	116.50'	0.00'	116.50'	0.50'	...	111.40'	112.10'	
	9th "	6 "	19.00'	56.319'	75.319'	0.30'	...	73.069'	69.819'	
	9th "	8 hours	21.50'	4.896'	26.396'	0.10'	...	26.096'	25.596'	
Brahmaputra	9th "	8 A.M.	25.80'	135.18'	160.98'	...	0.30'	162.08'	161.48'	
	9th "	12 hours	39.10'	1.509'	40.609'	Steady		42.409'	42.009'	
	9th "	9 A.M.	19.30'	314.18'	333.48'	...	0.50'	334.48'	332.88'	
Meghna ...	9th "	6 hours	15.67'	1.61'	17.28'	0.08'	...	19.36'	16.94'	
	9th "	18 "	11.33'	1.61'	12.94'	Steady		13.11'	12.86'	
	9th "	7 "	25.80'	1.509'	27.309'	Steady		30.559'	28.909'	
Dhaleswari	9th "	7 A.M.	26.90'	- 8.62'	18.28'	0.30'	...	17.38'	18.08'	
	9th "	6 "	15.44'	1.509'	16.949'	0.36'	...	8.139'	6.069'	
	9th "	6 "	8.50'	92.58'	101.08'	...	0.92'	95.66'	100.24'	
Lakinya ...	9th "	6 "	21.50'	- 5.59'	15.91'	0.12'	...	15.99'	15.53'	
	9th "	6 "	11.00'	- 0.599'	10.401'	0.20'	...	10.001'	10.021'	
Madaripur Bil Route (Lower Kumer).	9th "	6 "								

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						Rise.	Fall.	1921.	1920.	
Ganges ...	10th July 1922	6 A.M.	116.10'	0.00'	116.10'	...	0.40'	111.10'	113.00'	
	10th "	6 "	20.50'	56.319'	76.819'	1.50'	...	72.569'	71.369'	
	10th "	8 hours	21.60'	4.896'	26.496'	0.10'	...	26.296'	25.396'	
Brahmaputra	10th "	8 A.M.	25.40'	135.18'	160.58'	...	0.40'	162.28'	161.28'	
	10th "	12 hours	39.00'	1.509'	40.509'	...	0.10'	42.809'	41.909'	
	10th "	9 A.M.	19.20'	314.18'	333.38'	...	0.10'	336.98'	332.78'	
Meghna ...	10th "	6 hours	15.92'	1.61'	17.53'	0.25'	...	19.44'	17.36'	
	10th "	6-30 "	10.75'	1.61'	12.36'	...	0.58'	13.36'	12.86'	
	10th "	7 "	25.85'	1.509'	27.359'	0.05'	...	30.809'	29.109'	
Dhaleswari	10th "	7 A.M.	27.10'	- 8.62'	18.48'	0.20'	...	17.68'	18.08'	
	10th "	6 "	15.79'	1.509'	17.299'	0.35'	...	8.679'	6.039'	
	10th "	6 "	11.75'	92.58'	104.33'	3.25'	...	95.41'	98.83'	
Lakhya	10th "	6 "	21.56'	- 5.59'	15.97'	0.06'	...	16.08'	15.33'	
	10th "	6 "	11.20'	- 0.599'	10.601'	0.20'	...	10.301'	10.201'	
Madaripur Bil Route (Lower Kumar).	10th "	6 "								
Takerhat	10th "	6 "								
Narayanganj	10th "	6 "								
Edilpur	10th "	6 "								
Swarupganj	10th "	6 "								
Sabhar	10th "	7 A.M.								
Fenchuganj	10th "	7 "								
Chandpur	10th "	6-30 "								
Bhairab Bazar	10th "	6 hours								
Dibrugarh	10th "	9 A.M.								
Sirajganj	10th "	12 hours								
Gauhati	10th "	8 A.M.								
Goalundo	10th "	8 hours								
Rajmahal	10th "	6 "								
Monghyr	10th July 1922	6 A.M.								

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						Rise.	Fall.	1921.	1920.	
Ganges ...	11th July 1922	6 A.M.	116.10'	0.00'	116.10'	Steady		111.10'	113.40'	
	11th "	6 "	20.55'	56.319'	76.869'	0.05'	...	72.519'	72.369'	
	11th "	8 hours	21.70'	4.896'	26.596'	0.10'	...	26.696'	25.396'	
Brahmaputra ...	11th "	8 A.M.	24.70'	135.18'	159.88'	...	0.70'	162.48'	161.28'	
	11th "	12 hours	38.80'	1.509'	50.309'	...	0.20'	43.309'	41.809'	
	11th "	9 A.M.	19.20'	314.18'	333.38'	Steady		340.38'	334.28'	
	11th "	6 hours	16.08'	1.61'	17.69'	0.17'	...	19.61'	17.53'	
Meghna ...	11th "	7 "	10.75'	1.61'	12.36'	Steady		13.11'	13.11'	
	11th "	7 "	26.00'	1.509'	27.509'	0.15'	...	30.609'	29.209'	
	11th "	7 A.M.	27.20'	- 8.62'	18.58'	0.10'	...	18.18'	18.18'	
Dhaleswari ...	11th "	6 "	16.20'	1.509'	17.709'	0.41'	...	9.089'	6.099'	
Bhagirathi ...	11th "	6 "	12.50'	92.58'	105.08'	0.75'	...	96.08'	98.74'	
Damodar ...	11th "	6 "	21.71'	- 5.59'	16.12'	0.14'	...	16.20'	15.37'	
Lakhya ...	11th "	6 "	11.30'	- 0.599'	10.701'	0.10'	...	10.401'	10.201'	
Madaripur Bil Route (Lower Kumar).	11th "	6 "								

Statement showing the daily gauge-readings of certain rivers at the stations named below for week ending Thursday,
the 13th July 1922.

Name of river and place where readings are taken.	Date.	Hour.	Reading on gauge.	Value of zero referred to P. W. D. datum.	Height above P. W. D. datum.	COMPARED WITH PREVIOUS DAY'S HEIGHT.		HEIGHT ABOVE P. W. D. DATUM ON SAME DATE IN—		Remarks.
						Rise.	Fall.	1921.	1922.	
Ganges ...	12th July 1922	6 A.M.	117.70'	0.00'	117.70'	1.60'	...	111.50'	113.30'	
	12th "	6 "	20.70'	56.319'	77.019'	0.15'	...	72.369'	72.919'	
	12th "	8 hours	21.80'	4.896'	26.696'	0.10'	...	26.996'	25.496'	
Brahmaputra ...	12th "	8 A.M.	24.00'	135.18'	159.18'	...	0.70'	162.78'	161.48'	
	12th "	12 hours	38.70'	1.509'	40.209'	...	0.10'	43.809'	41.609'	
	12th "	9 A.M.	19.10'	314.18'	333.28'	...	0.10'	339.88'	333.88'	
Meghna ...	12th "	6 hours	16.17'	1.61'	17.78'	0.08'	...	19.94'	17.53'	
	12th "	7.30 "	11.00'	1.61'	12.61'	0.25'	...	12.86'	12.86'	
	12th "	7 "	26.10'	1.509'	27.609'	0.10'	...	30.809'	29.209'	
Dhaleswari ...	12th "	7 A.M.	27.30'	- 8.62'	18.68'	0.10'	...	18.58'	18.08'	
Bhagirathi ...	12th "	6 "	16.55'	1.509'	18.059'	0.35'	...	9.019'	6.069'	
Damodar ...	12th "	6 "	10.50'	92.58'	103.08'	...	2.00'	95.50'	103.83'	
Lakhya ...	12th "	6 "	21.75'	- 5.59'	16.16'	0.04'	...	16.24'	15.49'	
Madaripur Bil Route (Lower Kumar).	12th "	6 "	11.40'	- 0.599'	10.801'	0.10'	...	10.601'	10.301'	

**Statement showing the daily gauge-readings of certain rivers at the stations named below for the week ending
Thursday, the 31st July 1922.**

Name of river and place where readings are taken.	Date.	Hour.	Reading on gauge.	Value of zero referred to P. W. D. datum.	Height above P. W. D. datum.	COMPARED WITH PREVIOUS DAY'S HEIGHT.		HEIGHT ABOVE P. W. D. DATUM ON SAME DATE IN—		Remarks.
						Rise.	Fall.	1921.	1920.	
Ganges	13th July 1922	6 A.M.	118.30'	0.00'	118.30'	0.60'	...	112.00'	114.50'	
	13th "	6 "	21.30'	56.319'	77.619'	0.60'	...	72.569'	73.119'	
	13th "	8 hours	21.80'	4.896'	26.696'	Steady.		27.096'	25.496'	
Brahmaputra	13th "	8 A.M.	24.60'	135.18'	159.78'	0.60'	...	162.98'	161.58'	
	13th "	12 hours	38.60'	1.509'	40.109'	..	0.10'	43.909'	41.509'	
	13th "	9 A.M.	19.20'	314.18'	333.38'	0.10'	...	336.08'	333.88'	
Meghna	13th "	6 hours	16.25'	1.61'	17.86'	0.08'	...	20.44'	17.61'	
	13th "	8 hours	11.00'	1.61'	12.61'	Steady.		12.94'	13.11'	
	13th "	7 hours	26.20'	1.509'	27.709'	0.10'	...	31.209'	29.309'	
Dhaleswari	13th "	7 A.M.	27.40'	-8.62'	18.78'	0.10'	...	18.88'	17.98'	
Bhagirathi	13th "	6 "	16.87'	1.509'	18.379'	0.32'	...	8.699'	8.229'	
Damodar	13th "	6 "	8.75'	92.58'	101.33'	..	1.75'	100.41'	104.50'	
Lakhya	13th "	6 "	21.77'	-5.59'	16.18'	0.02'	...	16.33'	15.58'	
Madaripur Bil Route (Lower Kumar).	13th "	6 "	11.50'	-0.599'	10.901'	0.10'	...	10.701'	10.401'	

**List of prices of articles of food at Calcutta for the week ending
Saturday, the 8th July 1922.**

Names of articles.	WHOLESALE PRICE PER MAUND.		RETAIL PRICE PER SEER.	
	From—	To—	From—	To—
Rice—	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Balam, coarse	7 8 0	7 12 0	0 3 3	0 3 6
„ medium	8 0 0	8 8 0	0 3 6	0 3 9
Patnai, coarse	7 14 0	.....	0 3 3	0 3 6
„ medium	8 0 0	8 8 0	0 3 6	0 3 9
Nagra, coarse	8 2 0	.....	0 3 3	0 3 6
„ medium	8 8 0	8 12 0	0 3 6	0 3 9
Dudhkalma	7 12 0	8 8 0	0 3 3	0 3 9
Rangoon*Boiled	.....	.....	0 2 9	.....
Kajla	.....	.....	0 2 9	.....
Wheat, Dudhia	7 8 0	7 12 0	.....	.....
„ Gangajali	7 0 0	.....	.....	.....
„ Jamali	6 0 0	6 8 0	.....	.....
Gram, Patnai (whole)	6 8 0	.....	0 3 0	.....
„ dal	11 0 0	12 0 0	0 4 0	0 4 6
Mung „ (Hari)	8 12 0	9 0 0	0 4 6	0 5 0
„ „ (Krishna)	7 0 0	.....	0 4 6	0 5 0
Arhar „	7 8 0	10 0 0	0 4 0	0 4 6
Masur „ (split)	6 8 0	7 0 0	0 3 0	.....
„ „ (Khanri)	8 12 0	9 0 0	0 3 6	0 4 0
Kalai „	5 8 0	6 0 0	0 3 6	.....
Salt	2 10 0	.....	0 2 0	.....
Sugar (Brown Java)	14 8 0	15 8 0	0 6 0	.....
Gur, Bheli	.....	.....	0 5 0	.....
„ Bhursut	.....	.....	0 6 0	.....
„ Date	.....	.....	.....	.....
Milk	10 0 0	11 0 0	0 6 0	.....
Mustard Oil	24 8 0	26 8 0	0 11 0	0 13 0
Flour (Country)	9 4 0	10 8 0	0 4 6	0 5 0
Atta No. 3	5 4 0	6 0 0	} 0 3 9	0 4 6
„ „ 2½	5 4 0	6 0 0		
„ „ B	10 8 0	.....	
Suji	10 0 0	10 12 0	0 5 0	0 5 6
Ghee (Bhadwa, Matki, etc.)	90 0 0	.....	} 2 0 0	2 4 0
„ [Patiram, Khurja, Ruto, Etwa (better kind), etc.]	82 0 0	.....	
„ (Lalli, Etwa, Sagar, etc.)	73 0 0	.....	
Maize	4 8 0	.....	.....	.....
Potatoes	7 0 0	10 8 0	0 4 6	0 5 0
Patal	.....	.....	0 4 0	.....
Brinjal	.....	.....	0 5 0	.....
Onion	4 4 0	5 4 0	0 2 0	0 2 3
Fish, Rahu	45 0 0	46 0 0	1 2 0	1 4 0
Mutton (2nd class)	.....	.....	1 0 0	1 4 0
Beef (2nd and 3rd classes)	.....	.....	0 6 0	0 8 0

N.B.—This is an abstract for price of the following markets :—

Wholesale.—Chetla Hât, Ramkrishnapur Hât, Sealdah Fish and Milk Markets and Posta Bazar.

Retail.—Sir Stuart Hogg Market, Orphananj Market, Sova Bazar, Nutun Bazar, Raja Babu's Bazar, Karaya Bazar, Taltola Bazar, Mullick Bazar and Jogan Babu's Bazar.

H. L. MUKHARJI, for *Commissioner, Presidency Division*

CALCUTTA, the 10th July 1922.

List of prices of articles of food at Calcutta on the week ending on the 15th July 1922.

Names of articles.	WHOLESALE PRICE PER MAUND.		RETAIL PRICE PER SEER.	
	From—	To—	From—	To—
Rice—	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Balam, coarse	7 8 0	7 12 0	0 3 3	0 3 6
„ medium	8 0 0	8 8 0	0 3 6	0 3 9
Patnai, coarse	7 14 0	.....	0 3 3	0 3 6
„ medium	8 0 0	8 8 0	0 3 6	0 3 9
Nagra, coarse	8 2 0	.....	0 3 3	0 3 6
„ medium	8 8 0	8 12 0	0 3 6	0 3 9
Dudhkalma	7 12 0	8 8 0	0 3 6	0 3 9
Rangoon Boiled	.....	.....	0 2 9	.....
Kajla	.....	.....	0 2 9	.....
Wheat, Dudhia	7 8 0	7 12 0	.....	.....
„ Gangajali	7 0 0	7 4 0	.....	.....
„ Jamali	6 4 0	6 12 0	.....	.....
Gram, Patnai (whole)	6 8 0	6 10 0	0 3 0	.....
„ dal	10 8 0	11 8 0	0 4 0	0 4 6
Mung „ (Hari)	8 12 0	9 0 0	0 4 6	0 5 0
„ „ (Krishna)	7 0 0	7 4 0	0 4 6	0 5 0
Arhar „	7 8 0	10 0 0	0 4 0	0 4 6
Masur „ (split)	6 8 0	7 0 0	0 3 0	.....
„ „ (Khanri)	8 12 0	9 0 0	0 3 6	0 4 0
Kalai „	7 8 0	8 8 0	0 3 3	0 3 6
Salt	2 10 0	.....	0 2 0	.....
Sugar (Brown Java)	14 8 0	15 8 0	0 6 0	.....
Gur, Bheli	.....	.....	0 5 0	.....
„ Bhursut	.....	.....	0 6 0	.....
„ Date	.....	.....	.....	.....
Milk	10 0 0	11 0 0	0 6 0	.....
Mustard Oil	24 8 0	26 8 0	0 11 0	0 13 0
Flour (Country)	9 4 0	10 8 0	0 4 6	0 5 0
Atta No. 3	5 4 0	6 4 0	} 0 3 9	0 4 6
„ „ 2½	.....	.....
„ „ B	10 8 0	.....	
Suji	10 0 0	10 12 0	0 5 0	0 5 6
Ghee (Bhadwa, Matki, etc.)	90 0 0	.....	} 2 0 0	2 4 0
„ [Patiram, Khurja, Ruto, Etwa (better kind), etc.]	82 0 0	.....	
„ (Lalli, Etwa Sagar, etc.)	75 0 0	.....	
Maize	4 4 0	4 8 0	.....	.....
Potatoes	12 0 0	12 8 0	0 5 0	.....
Patal	.....	.....	0 4 0	.....
Brinjal	.....	.....	0 5 0	.....
Onion	4 4 0	5 4 0	0 2 0	0 2 3
Fish, Rahu	45 0 0	46 0 0	1 2 0
Mutton (2nd class)	1 0 0	1 4 0
Beef (2nd and 3rd classes)	0 6 0	0 8 0

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Wholesale.—Chetla Hât, Ramkrishnapur Hât, Sealdah Fish and Milk Markets and Posta Bazar.

Retail.—Sir Stuart Hogg Market, Orphangunj Market, Sovabazar, Nutan Bazar, Raja Babu's Bazar, Karaya Bazar, Taltola Bazar, Mullick Bazar and Jogu Babu's Bazar.

H. L. MUKHARJI, for Commissioner, Presidency Division.

CALCUTTA, the 17th July 1922.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Approximate return of traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals for the week ending Saturday, the 8th July 1922, as compared with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of cargo.	WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 8TH JULY 1922.			WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 9TH JULY 1921.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy ...	260	42,480	654	433	73,670	1,252
Jute ...	37	26,675*	227	33	18,699†	178
Firewood ...	63	35,925	546	67	26,655	405
Other articles ...	895	298,195	2,758	897	289,319	3,156
Total ...	1,255	403,275	4,185	1,430	408,343	4,991
Empty boats and rafts ...	393	...	1,392	487	...	1,826
GRAND TOTAL ...	1,648	403,275	5,577	1,917	408,343	6,817

Mds.

* Weight by canal measurement ... 27,762½

† Ditto ditto ... 19,687½

T. C. BHATTACHARYA,

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CALCUTTA, the 14th July 1922.



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APPOINTMENT OF A COMMITTEE TO CONSIDER THE WHOLE QUESTION OF NURSING ARRANGEMENTS AT THE GOVERNMENT HOSPITALS IN CALCUTTA.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT.

Medical.

CALCUTTA, THE 16TH JULY 1922.

RESOLUTION—No. 1742Medl.

Minister in charge: The Hon'ble Sir S. N. Banerji, Kt.

The increasing cost of the nursing arrangements at the general hospitals of Calcutta has recently engaged the anxious consideration of Government.

The demand on provincial revenues has increased to a serious extent and the proportion of cost, which the State may fairly be asked to bear, is a matter which, in the opinion of the Minister for Local Self-Government, requires careful examination. Government have decided that it is desirable that the whole question should be the subject of thorough investigation by a strong committee representing the various interests concerned. In order to define the terms of reference of the committee which the Minister desires to appoint, it will be convenient briefly to state the existing arrangements for nursing in public hospitals and the circumstances under which they were made.

2. Prior to 1859, the nursing of patients in the Calcutta hospitals was entirely in the hands of the ward boys and untrained ayahs. The Calcutta Hospital Nurses Institution was then established, mainly through the influence of Lady Canning, for the purpose of providing women nurses for the Medical College Hospital. Its management was vested in a committee of ladies and funds were raised by private subscriptions. In 1860, the Institution extended its operations to the Presidency General Hospital, then under the Military Department, and received in return a Government grant of Rs. 200 per month.

The Institution originated in a charitable desire of European residents to provide skilled nursing for European patients. The charity was well sustained at the outset. Donations were large and expenses small; but this state of affairs did not continue long. The scope of work was extended and expenditure rapidly increased with no corresponding increase of income. Government aid was soon solicited. In 1867 this amounted to Rs. 700 per month on the understanding that a full supply of nurses was provided both for the Medical College and the Eden Hospitals where Indian patients predominate. In 1883 the grants-in-aid were raised to Rs. 15,000 per annum, which was estimated to be half the annual cost of the institution, and subsequently the Lieutenant-Governor undertook to treble the amount derived from private subscriptions subject to the maximum of Rs. 37,500. Later on, this maximum was increased to Rs. 50,000 and this arrangement continued in force until 1910 when the maximum was raised to Rs. 75,000, with the further understanding that if this subsidy failed during the following three years to establish an equilibrium, the deficit would be made good by Government, although it was expressly stated that the sum of Rs. 75,000 should be regarded as normally the maximum, which the State could be expected to contribute. This arrangement was subsequently extended for a further period. For the next few years, no serious deficit occurred, while the war bonus fund raised during war, enabled the Committee to the Institution to provide for the increasing cost of nurses. In 1915, however, there was a deficit of Rs. 10,972 and in 1919 a deficit of Rs. 17,798, and in 1920, the Committee found it necessary to ask Government to increase their annual contribution to Re. 1 lakh. Again in 1921, Government were compelled to make a total contribution of Rs. 1½ lakhs to enable the Institution to pay its way. In the current supplementary estimates (1922-23) Government has made provision for the payment of Rs. 1½ lakhs, while the Committee are of opinion that their sources of income must be supplemented by a Government contribution of at least Rs. 1½ lakhs to enable their work to continue on the present scale.

The increasing expenditure is in part due to hospital extensions and in part to the fact that it has been found necessary to improve the pay of nurses by consolidating their temporary war bonus with salary. Further additional staff will be necessary for the new Eye Hospital which will probably be opened in September next, while the proposed extension of the Eden Hospital—at present the only Maternity Home in Calcutta under Government control—will also involve the appointment of new staff.

In 1914 the expenditure of the Institution amounted to Rs. 2,04,365; in 1921 the expenditure had risen to Rs. 3,00,309. In that year the following contributions were obtained from non-Government sources, viz. :—

	Rs.
Calcutta Corporation	20,000
Maniktalla Municipality	300
Cossipore-Chitpur Municipality	200
Woodburn Ward fees	15,766
Hospital Port Dues Fund	13,335
Offertories and entertainments	4,769
Out-Nursing fees	19,229
Private subscriptions	67,770

The balance sheet showed a total deficit of Rs. 49,559 which was made good by a special grant of Rs. 50,000, bringing Government's total contribution as already stated, up to Rs. 1½ lakhs, while the Committee report that an even larger grant will be required this year in order to produce equilibrium between income and expenditure.

3. Government fully realise the value of the work done by the Institution, and they do not overlook the fact that the increase in its expenditure is due in a large measure to circumstances over which the Committee have no control. At the same time, it is essential to place the finances of the Institution on a sounder footing. Nothing could be more unsatisfactory from every point of view than the present practice of relying on provincial revenues to make up an annual deficit which shows a constant tendency to increase. There is reason to believe that this practice is responsible for a widespread feeling among local bodies and the public generally that by contributing to the funds of the Institution, they are merely relieving Government of a burden which Government can and ought to bear. It is desirable that this misunderstanding should be corrected.

In England, famous general hospitals, such as St. Thomas's or Bartholomew's, are old charitable foundations which are supported on the voluntary system by subscriptions from the philanthropic public. Special hospitals—such as isolation or infectious diseases hospitals founded in more modern times—are ordinarily supported by local bodies. In Europe and America, the tendency is to make hospital expenditure a charge on the rates, and not on the revenues of the State. The Minister does not wish to press these analogies too far, and he recognises that in India, the State was compelled in earlier days to assume responsibilities of this character because local bodies had not then been created or were still in their infancy, while again the sources of private benefactions were less ample in their flow.

It is not possible for the State suddenly to divest itself of these responsibilities, and moreover a provincial contribution to the maintenance of the Calcutta hospitals can be justified on the ground that the benefits which they confer are not entirely confined to Calcutta. At the same time, there is a limit to the amount which the general taxpayer can reasonably be asked to provide for this purpose, especially in view of the straitened conditions of the provincial finances and of the heavy and increasing demands which are being made upon the public purse for objects of a more general character. If the citizens of Calcutta desire to have the benefit of skilled nursing in well-equipped hospitals, they must be prepared to contribute a reasonable part of the cost themselves. They cannot reasonably rely on Government to bear the whole of any new expenditure which may be necessary on this account.

4. The Minister has accordingly decided to appoint a Committee which, approaching the subject from this point of view, will undertake a thorough investigation of the affairs of the Institution with the object of putting its finances on a sound basis for the future. The Committee should ascertain, in the first instance, whether any savings are practicable in the existing scale of expenditure without undue sacrifice of efficiency, and they should then frame an estimate of the financial requirements of the Institution for the next five years, having regard to the absolute necessity for the strictest economy

in view of the limited resources that have hitherto been available. The Minister is provisionally of opinion that the permanent contribution from Government during that period should not exceed Rs. 1 lakh annually, and adopting this figure as a basis, the Committee should advise on the best methods of raising the balance required. They will doubtless take into consideration in this connection the adequacy or otherwise of the existing contributions from local bodies and the general public, and the measures which might be adopted for arousing an interest in the Institution among any sections of the public who do not at present contribute to its funds in proportion to the benefits which they receive. Finally, it should be considered whether any other feasible method of increasing the resources of the Institution can be devised, such as the levy of fees from those patients who can afford to pay them.

The following ladies and gentlemen, who have kindly consented to serve on the Committee, are appointed to advise on the above questions, viz. :—

The Surgeon-General (President).

Sir Nilratan Sirkar, M.A., M.D.

Mr. A. d'A. Willis (President of the Calcutta Hospital Nurses Institution).

Mrs. S. R. Das.

Mrs. Hechle.

The Lady Superintendent of Nursing, Medical College Hospital.

Mr. S. N. Mullick, M.L.C. (Chairman of the Calcutta Corporation).

Mr. R. Langford James, M.L.C.

Mr. W. S. J. Willson.

Mr. Nicholson (Calcutta Hospital Nurses Institution), as Secretary,

By order of the Government of Bengal,

(Ministry of Local Self-Government),

S. W. GOODE,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

**RESOLUTION REGARDING INTRODUCTION OF A
TIME-SCALE PAY OF ZILLADARS.**

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.

Establishment.

CALCUTTA, THE 21ST JULY 1922.

RESOLUTION—No. 1557 I. E.

READ—

1. Government of Bengal, Public Works Department, letter No. 3417E., dated the 27th November 1906.
2. Government of Bengal, Public Works Department, letter No. 4349E., dated the 13th December 1907.
3. Government of Bengal, Finance Department, letter No. 2386F., dated the 6th April 1916 and Government of Bengal, Public Works Department, letter No. 2757E., dated the 27th September 1919.

THE Zilladars employed in the Revenue Division, Midnapore Canal, having represented to Government the difficulty they have to experience owing to general rise in price of foodstuffs and asked for an increase of pay compatible with that sanctioned to other similar services, the question was carefully considered by Government and the Governor in Council is pleased to sanction, with effect from the 1st April 1922, the introduction of a time-scale of pay, viz., Rs. 60—3—90—4—150, with efficiency bar at Rs. 90, in place of the existing grades of Rs. 50, 75 and 100.

2. Increments will be given for approved service only. An increment which will carry a zilladar over the efficiency bar will require the sanction of the Local Government; subsequent increments may be drawn on the dates they fall due provided no order has been passed withholding an increment.

3. The zilladar who may be placed in charge of the Revenue Division will, as hitherto, be designated as Circle officer, and will be entitled to a duty allowance of Rs. 75 per mensem.

4. The initial salary which each zilladar now in service will draw under the new time-scale is shown below :—

Name.			Initial salary on 1st April 1922.
			Rs.
(1)	Babu Ashutosh Sen, Circle officer	...	102
(2)	" Haradhon Das	...	75
(3)	" Mohima Charan Ghosh	...	66
(4)	" Debendra Nath Mukherji	...	60

5. Ordered that this Resolution be forwarded to the Superintending Engineer, South-Western Circle, and Accountant-General, Bengal (through Finance Department of this Government), for information and also that it be published in the *Calcutta Gazette*.

By order of the Governor in Council,

G. T. HUNTINGFORD,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

MONTHLY WEATHER AND CROP REPORT OF BENGAL FOR JUNE 1922.

I. **Character of the season.**—During the month under review the rain fall was heavy, being much in excess of the normal throughout the Province. The usual rainfall statement is appended.

II. **Progress of agricultural operations.**—The preparation of lands for winter paddy and for transplantation proceeded under favourable weather conditions. The sowing of jute was still in progress in parts of West Bengal. Heavy rain caused some damage to the winter paddy seedlings and to young jute plants in certain low lying tracts of West Bengal.

III. **State of standing crops.**—The condition of sugarcane, autumn paddy and other standing crops was reported to be fair, on the whole, although some damage had been caused by drought in the preceding months.

IV. **Prospects and probable outturn.**—The prospects of autumn paddy were reported to be not hopeful, but those of deep-water winter paddy and jute were considerably improved by the recent rainfall.

V. **Damage to standing crops.**—The heavy rainfall caused some damage to the standing crops in certain low lying tracts of West Bengal.

VI. **Condition of agricultural stock.**—The condition of live stock was, on the whole, fair. Stray cases of cattle-disease were, however, reported from the parts of the 24-Parganas, Murshidabad, Nadia, Khulna, Hooghly, Darjeeling, Rangpur, Bogra, Mymensingh, Faridpur, Tipperah, Noakhali and Tripura State.

VII. **Failure of pasturage and fodder.**—Scarcity of fodder was reported only from parts of Murshidabad and Birbhum.

VIII. **Prices of food-grains.**—During the second-half of the month the price of common rice of the cheapest quality rose in eleven districts, fell in two and remained stationary in the rest of the Province. The price varied from 5 seers 8 chittaks per rupee at Chittagong Hill Tracts to 8 seers at Rangpur.

IX. **Condition of agricultural people.**—The condition of the agricultural population was fair.

G. EVANS,

Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

DACCA, the 22nd July 1922.

Statement showing the normal and actual rainfall in each district during June 1922.

Division.	District.	Normal district rainfall for the month of June.	Actual district rainfall for the month of June 1922.	Variation from the normal.	Division.	District.	Normal district rainfall for the month of June.	Actual district rainfall for the month of June 1922.	Variation from the normal.
		Inches.	Inches.	Inches.			Inches.	Inches.	Inches.
Presidency	24-Parganas	11.23	21.76	+10.53	Rajshahi— concl'd.	Rangpur	16.96	20.75	+3.79
	Calcutta	11.63	22.89	+11.26		Bogra	12.73	19.60	+6.86
	Nadia	9.25	19.88	+10.63		Pabna	11.37	14.46	+3.09
	Murshidabad	10.48	19.44	+8.96		Malda	10.54	22.44	+11.90
	Jessore	11.84	21.90	+10.06	Dacca	Dacca	14.43	16.04	+1.61
	Khulna	12.83	23.26	+10.43		Mymensingh	17.80	20.79	+2.99
Burdwan	Burdwan	10.72	25.76	+15.04		Faridpur	15.03	23.55	+8.52
	Birbhum	10.42	18.24	+7.82		Bakarganj	18.18	30.79	+12.61
	Bankura	9.75	27.73	+17.98	Chittagong	Chittagong	22.52	34.60	+12.08
	Midnapore	11.25	18.23	+7.00		Tippera	16.05	19.96	+3.91
	Hooghly	9.23	22.68	+13.45		Noakhali	21.18	30.34	+9.16
	Howrah	11.18	24.19	+13.01		Chittagong Hill Tracts	18.11	28.93	+10.82
Rajshahi	Rajshahi	11.06	18.61	+7.55		Cooch Behar	27.60	36.74	+9.14
	Dinajpur	14.65	26.68	+12.03		Tripura State	15.47	23.58	+8.11
	Jalpaiguri	27.08	33.67	+6.59					
	Darjeeling	23.41	34.72	+11.31					

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the second-half of June 1922.

Marts.	PADDY, LOCAL (BEST QUALITY).			PADDY, LOCAL (COMMON QUALITY).			RICE, LOCAL (BEST QUALITY).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	4 12 0	4 12 0	3 12 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	3 0 0	9 8 0	9 8 0	9 8 0
Burdwan ...	(n)	4 0 0	4 7 0	3 13 0	3 11 0	4 0 0	9 0 0	8 0 0	10 0 0
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	3 10 0	3 10 0	4 2 0	3 3 0	3 3 0	3 14 0	8 0 0	7 12 0	8 0 0
Chittagong ...	4 8 0	3 10 0	3 4 0	3 8 0	3 6 0	3 8 0	10 0 0	10 4 0	7 8 0
Dacca ...	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 4 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	3 4 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	7 4 0
Pabna ...	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 14 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	7 12 0
Rangpur ...	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 8 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	8 0 0
Seraiganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sarisabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Marts.	RICE, LOCAL (COMMON QUALITY).			WHEAT.			KALAI DAL.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	8 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0
Burdwan ...	6 14 0	6 4 0	7 8 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	8 0 0
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	6 4 0	6 2 0	7 0 0	(n)	(n)	8 0 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	7 8 0
Chittagong ...	6 12 0	6 12 0	6 4 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	6 8 0	6 12 0	5 8 0	7 4 0	7 0 0	7 8 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	5 8 0
Pabna ...	6 12 0	6 12 0	7 0 0	6 8 0	6 8 0	5 2 0	7 4 0	7 4 0	.....
Rangpur ...	5 12 0	5 12 0	7 4 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	6 12 0	.....	.....	.....
Seraiganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sarisabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

(n) Not reported.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the second-half of June 1922.

Marts.	GRAM.			ARHAR DAL.			LINSSEED.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 0 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	8 0 0	11 0 0	11 0 0	12 0 0
Burdwan	6 0 0	6 0 0	5 8 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	(n)	11 0 0	10 8 0
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	7 6 0	7 6 0	7 0 0	10 8 0	10 8 0	{ 9 8 0 to 10 8 0 }	8 12 0	8 12 0	7 8 0
Chittagong	8 8 0	7 0 0	9 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	12 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	12 0 0
Dacca	7 8 0	7 8 0	9 0 0	10 0 0	9 8 0	9 4 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	10 8 0
Pabna	6 0 0	6 0 0	.....	11 0 0	11 0 0	11 0 0	8 12 0	9 4 0	8 4 0
Rangpur	7 0 0	7 0 0	.....	9 0 0	9 0 0	9 0 0	(n)	9 4 0	.....
Seraiganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sarisabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Marts.	MUSTARD.			GUR.			COTTON (UNGINNED).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	10 0 0	10 0 0	11 8 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	10 0 0	No transaction.		26 0 0
Burdwan	{ 8 12 0 to 10 4 0 }	{ 8 0 0 to 10 0 0 }	8 8 0	{ 7 0 0 to 10 0 0 }	{ 7 0 0 to 10 0 0 }	8 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	{ 10 12 0 to 12 0 0 }	{ 10 12 0 to 12 0 0 }	{ 10 4 0 to 11 8 0 }	10 8 0	10 8 0	{ 11 0 0 to 12 0 0 }	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong	9 0 0	9 8 0	9 0 0	10 8 0	10 8 0	12 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	9 0 0	9 0 0	8 8 0	12 0 0	11 0 0	12 8 0	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	9 0 0	9 0 0	8 8 0	6 4 0	6 8 0	8 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	8 0 0	8 0 0	7 12 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	8 7 0	.....	.....	.....
Seraiganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sarisabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

(n) Not reported.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the under-mentioned marts of Bengal for the second-half of June 1922.

Marts	JUTE.			GHER.			HIDE (COW).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	(1) 17 0 0 (2) 16 0 0 (3) 12 2 0	(1) 17 0 0 (2) 16 0 0 (3) 11 7 0	(1) 12 0 0 (2) 11 0 0 (3) 6 15 0	88 0 0	75 0 0 85 0 0	75 0 0	295 0 0	295 0 0*	500 0 0
Burdwan	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Serajganj (Pabna).	9 0 0 to 11 0 0	7 4 0 to 12 8 0	5 0 0 to 6 8 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sarisabari (Mymensingh).	(n)	(n)	3 0 0 to 7 8 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca.)	10 0 0 to 14 0 0	8 4 0 to 13 0 0	5 0 0 to 8 8 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

(1) "Price of jat fours."
(2) "Price of district fours."
(3) "Weighted average price."
(n) Not reported.
* Per 100 hides.

Marts	IRON.			SALT.			KEROSENE OIL.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	(n)	(n)	10 0 0	234 0 0 ^a 235 0 0	234 0 0	3 6 0 ^(b)	5 14 0 Rising sun. 7 5 0	Swan 5 14 0 Rising sun 7 15 0	4 0 0
Burdwan
Rangpur
Midnapore
Chittagong
Dacca
Pabna
Raniganj
Serajganj (Pabna.)
Sarisabari (Mymensingh)
Narayanganj (Dacca.)

(^a) Per 100 maunds.
(n) Not reported.
(^b) Per maund.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the under-mentioned marts of Bengal for the second-half of June 1922.

Marts.	MASTARD OIL.			FIREWOOD.			COAL (BENGAL).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Calcutta	25 0 0	25 0 0	25 0 0	(n)	0 9 6	0 14 0	(n)	(n)	.....
Burdwan	0 4 6	0 6 6	0 6 0
Raniganj
Midnapore
Chittagong
Dacca
Pabna
Rangpur
Serajganj (Pabna.)
Sarisabari (Mymensingh.)
Narayanganj (Dacca.)

(n) Not reported.

J. C. ROY, for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

DACCA, the 19th July 1922.

Prices-current (retail) of food-grains, salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the second-half of June 1922.

Division.	Number.	DISTRICTS AND PARTS.	QUANTITY PER RUPEE IN SHEERS OF EIGHTY TOLAS.														
			COMMON RICE						KALAI DAL (<i>Phaseolus radiatus</i>).			ARHAR (DAL) OR THUR CADJAN PEA (<i>Cajanus indicus</i>).			SALT.		
			Average.			Cheapest.											
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding of last year.
PRESIDENCY.		24-PARGANAS.	S. CH.	S. CH.	S. CH.	S. CH.	S. CH.	S. CH.	S. CH.	S. CH.	S. CH.	S. CH.	S. CH.	S. CH.	S. CH.	S. CH.	
	1	Chetla Hât ...	5 0	5 0	4 9	6 8	6 8	6 0	4 8	4 8	5 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	10 0	10 8	11 0
	2	Magra Hât ...	5 2	5 5	5 2	5 11	6 2	5 4	(a)	(a)	(a)	4 1	4 0	4 15	10 0	8 14	12 12
	3	Calcutta-Beliaghata ...	4 11	4 11	4 14	7 0	7 0	7 6	6 2	6 2	6 2	4 7	4 7	4 11	10 0	10 0	10 0
		NADIA.															
	4	Goari ...	6 13	6 2	6 6	7 1	6 15	6 15	4 11	4 11	4 8	4 0	4 11	5 0	10 11	12 4	13 4*
	5	Rana-hat ...	5 4	5 4	6 0	5 12	5 12	6 8	4 8	4 8	5 4	4 0	4 0	4 8	10 8	10 8	10 8*
		MURSHIDABAD.															
	6	Dehampore ...	6 0	5 0	5 4	6 8	6 0	5 8	5 5	5 5	5 8	5 5	5 5	5 4	12 0	12 12	14 0*
	7	Kandi ...	6 8	6 10	6 0	6 12	6 12	6 2	5 12	(a)	6 0	5 8	4 8	5 0	12 0	12 0	13 0
	8	Jangipur ...	6 0	6 0	5 4	6 2	6 4	5 12	4 4	4 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	4 8	13 0	13 0	14 0
		JESSORE.															
	9	Sadar ...	6 6	7 0	5 12	6 12	7 8	7 12	3 4	4 0	3 4	3 4	3 8	3 4	11 0	11 0	12 6*
	10	Bangaon ...	5 8	6 0	5 5	6 8	7 0	6 6	3 4	3 4	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	9 0	9 0	12 12*
BURDWAN.		KHULNA.															
	11	Sadar ...	6 8	7 0	6 6	7 8	7 8	7 8	5 0	5 0	4 8	4 0	4 0	4 4	8 0	8 0	10 0
	12	Bagerhat ...	6 8	7 0	7 8	8 0	8 0	8 0	5 8	5 8	5 8	3 8	3 8	4 0	8 0	8 0	10 0
		BURDWAN.															
	13	Sadar ...	5 13	6 8	5 4	6 4	7 4	5 12	5 0	5 0	5 0	4 4	4 4	5 0	14 0*	14 0*	12 4
	14	Kalna ...	5 5	5 8	5 1	5 13	5 11	5 3	5 8	5 0	5 11	4 3	3 12	4 0	14 8	16 13	10 8
		BIRBHUM.															
	15	Suri ...	6 0	6 0	5 4	6 4	6 4	5 10	5 6	5 6	4 8	4 0	4 8	4 0	10 8	10 8	13 0*
	16	Rampur Hât ...	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 4	6 4	6 8	5 0	5 0	6 0	4 0	4 8	4 8	11 0	11 0	10 0
		BANKURA.															
	17	Sadar ...	6 0	6 4	5 12	6 12	7 0	6 0	6 4	6 4	5 8	4 0	4 0	4 0	11 0	11 0	11 0
	18	Vishnupur ...	5 5	6 0	4 12	6 4	6 8	5 0	4 0	5 8	5 0	4 0	4 0	4 8	10 0	10 0	11 8
		MIDNAPORE.															
	19	Sadar ...	6 8	6 8	5 13	6 14	6 14	6 3	4 0	4 0	5 0	3 8	3 8	3 12	8 0	8 0	9 0
	20	Coutai ...	7 0	6 4	5 8	7 8	6 8	6 0	4 8	4 4	3 8	4 0	3 13	3 4	9 0	9 0	10 8
RAJSHAH.		HOOGHLY.															
	21	Sadar ...	5 0	5 0	5 0	6 0	5 10	5 8	5 6	5 0	5 0	4 0	5 0	4 0	12 0.	10 0	11 4
	22	Arambagh ...	6 4	6 8	5 11	6 8	6 14	5 14	4 0	4 0	7 6	3 4	3 8	3 8	6 10	8 4	10 8
		HOWRAH.															
	23	Sadar ...	5 8	6 0	5 6	6 8	6 8	5 14	5 8	5 8	5 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	10 0	10 0	12 8
	24	Uluberia ...	5 8	5 6	5 4	6 4	6 8	5 12	5 6	5 6	5 4	4 0	4 0	4 4	10 10	9 0	13 2
		RAJSHAH.															
	25	Rampur-Boalia ...	6 0	6 0	5 10	6 12	6 12	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 4	4 14	5 4	5 11	9 12	8 4	13 5*
	26	Nator ...	5 8	6 0	5 8	6 6	6 12	6 3	5 4	5 4	6 0	4 0	4 0	6 0	9 12*	9 12*	9 12
	27	Dinaipur—Railway Bazar Hât.	6 14	7 3	5 11	7 3	7 12	6 0	4 12	4 12	4 13	3 9	3 9	4 13	9 0	9 0	9 8
	28	Jalpaiguri—Sadar ...	7 0	7 8	4 12	7 8	7 12	5 12	5 8	5 8	4 12	4 0	4 0	5 0	9 0*	9 0*	9 0

* Karkuch.

(n) Not reported.

(a) Not available.

Prices-current (retail) of food-grains, salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the second-half of June 1922.

Division.	Number.	DISTRICTS AND MARKETS.	QUANTITY PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF EIGHTY TOLAS.														
			COMMON RICE.						KALAI DAL (<i>Phaseolus radiatus</i>).			ARHAR (DAL) OR TUR CADJAN PEA (<i>Cajanus indicus</i>).			SALT.		
			Average.			Cheapest.			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.									
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RAJSHAHI—contd.		DARJEELING.															
	29	Sadar	5 12	5 0	4 4	6 8	6 8	5 4	3 4	3 4	3 12	2 12	2 12	3 8	6 8	5 12	7 0
	30	Siliguri	5 0	6 0	5 0	7 0	7 0	5 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	8 0	8 0	9 0
		RANGPUR.															
	31	Sadar	7 0	7 0	5 0	8 0	8 0	5 10	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	8	4 8	8 0	8 0	8 0
	32	Nilphamari	8 0	8 8	6 0	(n)	(n)	6 4	4 0	4 0	4 8	4 0	4 0	4 8	10 0	10 0	11 0
	33	Bozra—Sadar	6 14	7 2	5 13	7 4	7 8	6 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	8 8	8 8	9 12
		PABNA.															
	34	Sadar	5 12	5 12	5 12	6 2	6 2	6 0	5 8	5 8	5 8	3 8	3 8	3 8	11 0	11 0	11 4
	35	Sirajganj	6 0	6 0	5 12	6 8	6 8	6 4	6 0	6 0	6 0	3 12	4 4	4 8	10 11	9 0	9 8
DACCA.		MALDA.															
	36	Sadar	6 0	6 0	5 12	6 4	6 4	6 0	6 0	6 8	6 8	5 0	4 8	5 0	8 0	8 0	14 0
	37	Balia—Nayabganj	6 4	6 4	6 4	6 8	6 8	6 8	7 0	7 0	7 0	5 8	5 0	5 0	9 0	8 0	14 0
		DACCA.															
	38	Sadar	6 0	5 12	5 12	7 0	7 0	7 0	8 0	8 0	7 0	4 0	4 0	4 8	10 0	10 0	10 10
	39	Munshir Hat	5 12	5 12	6 4	6 4	6 0	7 4	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	13 0	13 0	10 0
		MYMENSINGH.															
	40	Nal abad	6 6	6 0	5 8	6 12	6 8	6 0	2 10	2 4	4 0	4 8	4 4	4 0	12 4	11 0	9 0
	41	Netrakona	6 3	6 3	6 10	6 8	6 8	7 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	11 4	11 4	9 0
		FARIDPUR.															
CHITTAGONG.	42	Sadar	5 8	6 4	6 8	6 0	6 10	6 12	7 0	8 0	5 8	3 4	5 0	3 8	13 0	13 0	11 0
	43	Rajbari	5 14	6 0	5 12	6 4	6 4	6 4	5 4	5 4	6 0	4 0	4 0	3 12	10 0	10 0	11 6
		BAKARGANJ.															
	44	Barisal	5 3	5 7	6 9	6 0	6 0	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 7\ 4 \\ 6\ 12 \end{array} \right.$	1 6	6 6	6 8	4 0	3 8	4 0	9 11	9 0	11 4
	45	Pirojpur	5 8	5 15	6 0	6 0	6 6	6 8	5 4	6 0	5 8	(a)	(a)	(a)	7 8	8 0	8 8
		TIPPERA.															
	46	Comilla	5 5	5 4	6 2	5 12	5 12	6 12	(a)	(a)	5 0	3 9	3 8	4 0	10 9	10 9	8 8
	47	Chandpur	5 0	5 4	5 12	5 8	5 12	7 10	5 8	5 12	5 8	4 0	4 0	3 14	10 8	10 11	13 0
		NOAKHALL.															
	48	Kalitara Hat	5 4	5 8	6 0	5 12	6 0	6 4	7 0	8 0	8 0	3 0	3 0	(a)	10 8	10 8	8 0
CHITTAGONG.	49	Feni Hat	5 15	6 9	6 0	6 9	6 15	6 8	3 4	3 4	4 0	(e)	(e)	(e)	10 1	10 1	9 0
		CHITTAGONG.															
	50	Sadar	5 14	5 6	6 4	6 0	(n)	6 12	5 0	4 8	6 8	4 0	3 10	3 0	13 0	$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} 13\ 0 \\ 9\ 0 \end{array} \right.$	14 0
	51	Cox's Bazar	6 0	6 0	6 8	(n)	(n)	(e)	4 0	4 0	3 8	3 8	3 8	3 8	9 0	9 0	9 8
	52	Chittagong Hill Tracts—Rangmati.	5 0	5 0	5 0	5 4	5 8	5 8	3 0	3 4	3 0	3 0	3 4	2 0	10 0	11 0	9 0

(n) Not reported.

(a) Not available.

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J. C. ROY, For Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

DACCA, the 19th July 1922.

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS.

For the week ending on the 19th July 1922.

Summary.—The rainfall during the week was generally moderate to heavy in East and North Bengal; elsewhere the fall was light to moderate. Transplantation of winter paddy and weeding of jute and broadcast winter paddy continue. Harvesting of jute and autumn paddy on low lands is proceeding in the Eastern Bengal districts. The prospects of standing crops are generally fair. Damage to jute and autumn paddy on low lands by heavy rain and flood is reported from some districts. The average price of common rice for the province has remained almost stationary as compared with that of the previous week.

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-PARGANAS	0.90	5	5	The effects of weather on crops are good. Weeding of jute and <i>aus</i> paddy and the transplanting of <i>aman</i> paddy continue. The prospects of jute are favourable except in the Basirhat subdivision where one anna jute has been damaged by heavy rainfall. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Diamond Harbour.	1.36	5 ⁹ / ₁₆	5 ¹ / ₄	
	Barrackpore	0.76	5 ¹ / ₄	5 ¹ / ₄	
	Barasat ...	2.71	5	5 ⁵ / ₁₆	
	Basirhat ...	4.12	6 ¹ / ₈	6 ¹ / ₄	
2	NADIA ...	0.35	5 ¹ / ₈	5 ¹ / ₁₆	Weeding of autumn paddy and jute continues. Prospects of jute are fair but some damage has been done by rain in Ranaghat subdivision. Rinderpest is reported from Kissengunj and Hanskhali thanas. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Kushtia ...	0.98	6 ¹ / ₂	6	
	Meherpur ...	(n)	(n)	6 ¹ / ₈	
	Chuadanga ...	0.96	6 ¹ / ₄	6 ¹ / ₂	
	Ranaghat ...	0.81	5 ¹ / ₄	5 ¹ / ₂	
3	MURSHIDABAD	2.24	6	6	Prospects of standing crops are fair. The transplanting of winter paddy continues. No large export or import. Condition and prospects of jute are fair but the effects of weather are not favourable. Frequent rains are causing some harm to the crop.
	Lalbagh ...	6.11	6	6	
	Jangipur ...	3.07	6	6	
	Kandi ...	2.56	6 ¹ / ₄	6 ¹ / ₄	
4	JESSORE ...	0.86	7	7 ¹ / ₂	Weather favourable. Condition and prospects of jute are satisfactory but some damage has been done by heavy rain. Weeding of <i>aus</i> paddy and transplantation of <i>aman</i> paddy continue. Export of paddy continues to be reported from Bongaon and Jhenidah. Cattle-disease is reported from Bongaon. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Jhenidah ...	0.93	5 ¹ / ₂	5 ¹ / ₂	
	Magura ...	2.79	6	6	
	Narail ...	2.18	6 ¹ / ₂	6 ¹ / ₂	
	Bongaon ...	3.90	6 ¹ / ₄	6 ¹ / ₂	
5	KHULNA ...	2.47	6 ¹ / ₂	6 ¹ / ₂	Preparation of lands and the transplanting of winter paddy continue. Prospects of and condition of jute and the effects of weather on its growth are good. Weeding of jute still continues. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Satkhira ...	5.73	6	6	
	Bagerhat ...	5.19	6 ¹ / ₄	6 ¹ / ₂	

(n) Not reported.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
6	BURDWAN ...	0.04	6	5½	Weather hot and cloudy. Transplantation of winter paddy is proceeding briskly and its weeding has commenced in places. Prospects of winter paddy and sugarcane are very good and that of autumn paddy and jute are moderately good.
	Asansol ...	8.10	5½	5½	
	Katwa ...	0.76	6½	5½	
	Kalna ...	0.53	5½	5½	
7	BIRBHUM ...	3.48	5½	5½	Transplantation of winter paddy seedlings continues. The condition of sugarcane is fair. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Rampurhat...	5.77	6	6	
8	BANKURA ...	0.20	6	6	Weather seasonable. Transplantation continues. Export of rice and paddy continues. Cattle-disease is reported from Gangajalghar and Mejhia.
	Vishnupur...	0.94	6½	6½	
9	MIDNAPORE	0.49	6½	6½	The effects of weather unfavourable to jute. The jute crop has been partially destroyed in flooded area in Ghatal; elsewhere the condition is fair. Condition of broadcast winter paddy and <i>bhadoi til</i> is favourable. Fodder is sufficient.
	Jhargram ...	(n)	(n)	6½	
	Ghatal ...	Nil	6½	6½	
	Tamluk ...	0.97	5½ ³ / ₈	6½ ³ / ₈	
	Contai ...	Nil	6	(n)	
10	HOOGHLY ...	0.95	5	5	The effects of weather are favourable. Condition and prospects of jute are unsatisfactory. Some damage has been done by heavy rain and flood. Fodder is sufficient.
	Serampore ...	0.93	5½	5½	
	Arambagh ...	1.68	6½	6½	
11	HOWRAH ...	0.51	5½	5½	Weather favourable. Transplantation of winter paddy continues. Prospects of jute are fair. Weeding is nearly finished.
	Uluberia ...	0.75	6½	6	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR-BOALIA).	5.30	6	6	Harvesting of low land jute has begun. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Effects of weather on jute crop are favourable. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Naogaon ...	4.57	5½	5½	
	Nator ...	3.39	5½	5½	
13	DINAJPUR ...	3.82	7 ³ / ₁₆	7 ³ / ₁₆	Weather seasonable. The drought at sowing time and heavy rains afterwards proved unfavourable to the growth of jute. The prospects of <i>bhadoi</i> crops and jute are not favourable. The transplanting of winter paddy has begun. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Thakurgaon	13.38	8	8	
	Balurghat ...	11.71	7	6½ ³ / ₈	
14	JALPAIGURI	15.94	6	6½	Weather favourable for the growth of jute. The prospects and condition of <i>bhadoi</i> paddy and jute are fair.
	Alipur ...	12.28	6	6	

(n) Not reported.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
15	DARJEELING	5.21	5	5	Maize has been progressing well. <i>Marua</i> is being transplanted. The effects of weather on the growth of jute are good. Cattle-disease is prevalent in places. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Kurseong ...	21.49	6	6	
	Siliguri ...	12.60	6	7	
	Kalimpong...	4.83	6	6	
16	RANGPUR ...	1.97	7	7½	Prospects of jute are good; the effects of weather are favourable. Harvesting has begun. Cattle-disease is reported from Kurigram thana. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Nilphamari	6.23	7	7½	
	Kurigram ...	3.53	6½	7	
	Gaibandha ...	5.97	6½	6½	
17	BOGRA ...	4.42	6½	6½	Harvesting of jute and <i>aus</i> paddy and transplantation of winter paddy continue. Condition and prospects of jute are fair.
18	PABNA ...	3.54	5½	5½	The excessive rains with the rise of rivers have damaged jute and <i>aus</i> paddy on lowlying tracts to a certain extent. The heavy rainfall has retarded the growth of jute and <i>aus</i> and <i>aman</i> paddies. The grain market is steady. Agricultural stock and fodder and water-supply are sufficient.
	Sirajganj ...	2.50	6	6	
19	MALDA ...	4.73	6	6	Damage to the standing crops to a certain extent has been reported from places. Transplantation of winter paddy is going on. Cattle-disease is reported from Gazole and Kaliachak thanas.
20	COOCH BEHAR	14.28	7 ⁹ / ₁₆	7 ⁹ / ₁₆	Weather seasonable. Cultivation of lands for <i>haimant</i> paddy and transplantation of seedlings are going on. Harvesting of <i>bitri</i> paddy and cutting of jute have commenced in places. The effects of weather on the jute crop are good. Prospects and condition of jute and other standing crops are favourable. Fodder is sufficient.
21	DACCA ...	4.07	5½	5½	Moderate rain fell over the district and has improved the prospects of jute and paddy. Harvesting of sugarcane and <i>aus</i> paddy and steeping of jute continue. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Manikganj ..	2.68	6	6	
	Narayanganj	2.10	6	6	
	Munshiganj (a)	2.09	5½	5½	
22	MYMENSINGH	1.73	6½	6½	Weather showery. Harvesting of <i>aus</i> paddy continues. Prospects of jute and other standing crops are satisfactory except in low lands. The jute crop has been damaged by floods chiefly in the Tangail subdivision. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Jamalpur ...	3.88	6½	7	
	Tangail ...	(n)	6	5½	
	Netrakona ...	5.41	6½	6½	
	Kishorganj...	3.92	6½	6½	

(a) Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district, rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

(n) Not reported.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
23	FARIDPUR ...	3.70	{ 5½ 6¼ }	{ 5½ 6½ }	The rain has been beneficial to the standing crops. Harvesting of jute has commenced in some places. Prospects of jute are fair. Aus paddy has been damaged in some places owing to high water. Prospects of other standing crops are favourable. Fodder is sufficient.
	Goalundo (Rajbari).	2.37	5½	5½	
	Madaripur ...	2.03	5½	5½	
	Gopalganj (a)	5.31	6	6	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	3.77	5½	5½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are fair and that of jute are favourable. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Pirojpur ...	8.02	5½	5½	
	Patuakhali...	8.27	5½	5½	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	4.33	5½	5½	
25	CHITTAGONG	5.60	{ 5 6 }	{ 5 6 }	Transplantation of aus and aman paddy is in progress; their prospects are fair. Fodder is sufficient. Panga salt is selling at 13 and 10 seers per rupee at Sadar and Cox's Bazar, respec. Sporadic cases of cattle-disease has been reported.
	Cox's Bazar	6.54	6	6	
26	TIPPERA (COMILLA).	2.94	5½	5½	The harvesting of jute has commenced. Autumn crops are progressing. Condition and prospects of jute crop are satisfactory. The condition of weather has been favourable to the growth of jute. Cattle-disease is reported from the Brahmanbaria subdivision.
	Brahmanbaria.	0.16	5½	5½	
	Chandpur ...	2.77	6½	6½	
27	NOAKHALI ...	8.72	5½	5½	Prospects of standing crops are good. The condition and prospects of jute are good. The crop was slightly damaged owing to drought. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Feni ...	12.58	5½	5½	
28	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.	6.11	5	5	Prospects of standing crops are favourable. Fodder and water are sufficient.
29	TRIPURA STATE.	1.06	5	5	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Cleaned cotton is selling at Rs. 30 to Rs. 35 per maund. Fodder and water are sufficient. Condition of cattle is good.

* Burna rice.

(a) The rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

(n) Not reported.

J. C. ROY,
for Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

DACCA, the 22nd July 1922.

Statement showing the quantity of salt in Bonded Warehouses and afloat on the river Hooghly on the 15th day of July 1922 and transactions during the half-month from the 1st to the 15th July 1922.

Description of Salt.	In Sulkia Government golas (Bonded).	Quantity afloat.	Total.	TRANSACTIONS DURING HALF MONTH FROM THE 1ST TO THE 15TH JULY 1922, INCLUSIVE.			
				Quantity on which duty has been paid.	Manifested quantity arrived in the port of Calcutta.	Deliveries from ship-board for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.	Deliveries from bonded warehouses for consumption and for inland bonded warehouses.
United Kingdom—	Mds. Srs.	Mds.	Mds. Srs.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.	Mds.
Liverpool and other Panga salt.	136,684 0	156,859	298,543 0	(a) 210,150	134,846	65,940	4,896
Other European countries—							
Spanish salt	420,025 0	144,479	564,504 0	93,933	4,653	75,118	19,490
Hamburg and Bremen salt.	158,326 0	...	158,326 0	16,000	...	...	21,470
Hamburg and Bremen rock salt.	...	1,017	1,017 0	2,666	2,667	1,650	...
Port Said salt	652,485 0	...	652,485 0	45,900	2,292	15,300	90,500
Aden and Red Sea—							
Aden salt	897,104 0	547,916	1,445,020 0	184,905	329,109	174,690	85,736
Salif salt ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Salif rock salt ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Rawayah salt ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Massawah salt	328,438 10	40,989	369,427 10	70,800	...	115,300	40,508
Muscat and Persian Gulf—							
Muscat, Lingah and Hanjam salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ditto ditto rock salt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
British India—							
Bombay salt ... ..	...	102,134	102,134 0	(b) 59,763	62,705	162,350	...
Madras salt ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kayalpatnam salt ... ..	...	...	...	4,000	...	...	...
Tuticorin salt ... ..	...	50,500	50,500 0	40,000	66,400	35,900	...
Total	(c) 2,593,062 10	1,043,894	3,636,956 10	728,117	602,672	596,248	262,600

(a) This excludes 400 maunds passed free of duty for the manufacture of glazed stonewares.

(b) Duty on this quantity was paid at Bombay.

(c) Besides 84,123 maunds in balance in the private licensed warehouses at Ramkristapur.

Written off during the half-month—							Mds.
Wastage in Sulkia golas	...	...	...	...	...	...	3,984
Abandoned and destroyed	...	...	...	...	...	...	558
In transit—							
Liverpool salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	7,100
Spanish salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	24,600
Aden salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	26,100
Massawah salt	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,600

S. N. GUPTA,

Assistant Collector of Customs for Imports.

CALCUTTA CUSTOM HOUSE, the 24th July 1922.

DAILY RAINFALL RECORDED IN BENGAL

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Budge-Budge ...
Canning Town...
Alipore ...
Barrackpore ...
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Saranga* ...
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Simlupal ...
Mejia ...
Siromanipur* ...
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Saktora ...
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FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE 1922.

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	Number of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Normal rainfall for the month.	Heavyest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st June up to 30th June 1922.	Normal rainfall from 1st June up to 30th June 1922.	Station.	DISTRICT.	D. VISION.
0.39	0.22	0.25	...	0.37	0.12	0.04	0.33	0.02	...	16	12.1	21.71	10.75	3.93	21.71	10.75	Saugor Island ...	24-Parganas	
1.79	1.09	...	...	0.02	0.56	...	...	...	0.62	14	11.8	25.61	11.03	5.91	25.61	11.03	Diamond Harbour.		
4.13	1.37	0.56	...	...	0.02	0.36	...	0.21	0.72	17	13.3	25.59	12.23	4.59	25.59	12.23	Budge-Budge.		
2.27	0.40	1.05	...	...	0.82	1.10	...	...	...	15	13.2	22.76	11.45	5.06	22.76	11.45	Canning Town.		
4.13	1.55	0.79	...	...	0.35	1.10	...	2.34	0.68	20	12.9	22.89	11.63	4.13	22.89	11.63	Alipore.		
4.34	1.35	0.11	...	...	1.44	...	0.03	0.30	0.15	18	1.7	19.42	10.48	4.34	19.42	10.48	Barrackpore.		
1.41	1.25	0.24	1.25	0.30	...	...	...	2.10	...	20	12.0	21.52	11.21	4.21	21.52	11.21	Dum-Dum.		
4.52	1.76	...	...	...	1.30	0.04	...	...	0.39	13	12.6	18.08	10.58	4.52	18.08	10.58	Baraset.		
3.54	1.19	0.63	...	...	1.55	2.35	...	2.10	...	18	13.0	21.12	11.71	3.54	21.12	11.71	Basirhat.		
0.73	0.79	0.19	...	...	0.65	0.50	...	...	0.75	18	(n)	18.91	(n)	4.60	18.91	(n)	Gosaba.		
7.12	1.30	0.10	...	...	0.27	0.27	0.18	...	2.40	19	12.4	23.39	9.72	7.12	23.39	9.72	Ranaghat ...	Nadia	
2.76	1.51	0.73	...	...	0.40	1.40	0.20	0.18	1.39	20	12.6	23.28	10.01	5.12	23.28	10.01	Krishnagar.		
1.09	2.77	0.36	...	...	0.17	0.70	1.02	4.76	0.02	23	13.0	24.43	10.41	4.76	24.43	10.41	Chnadanga.		
0.68	1.70	0.28	0.03	0.05	0.08	0.75	2.80	0.24	1.70	18	12.9	17.45	10.22	2.80	17.45	10.22	Meherpur.		
0.08	0.13	...	...	...	0.03	0.17	0.32	0.12	...	18	13.7	5.37	11.31	1.00	5.37	11.31	Kushtia.		
4.05	0.87	0.11	...	...	0.90	0.68	1.05	0.10	0.02	19	9.9	15.17	7.44	4.05	15.17	7.44	Haringhata.		
0.25	1.68	...	...	...	0.33	0.15	2.66	0.23	0.02	18	12.7	18.46	10.47	3.45	18.46	10.47	Kandi	Murshidabad.	
1.07	0.58	0.37	0.28	1.10	...	1.22	0.72	1.22	...	20	12.2	23.19	9.89	2.88	23.19	9.89	Berampore.		
0.05	0.73	0.41	0.34	1.15	0.29	1.21	3.48	0.72	...	20	11.9	22.57	10.39	3.48	22.57	10.39	Lalbagh.		
0.50	0.31	0.55	1.76	0.24	2.02	1.69	0.36	1.1	0.3	19	12.0	18.31	10.30	2.66	18.31	10.30	Azinganj.		
1.13	0.8	0.29	2.44	0.03	1.13	0.51	0.09	0.33	...	17	12.0	24.78	10.13	7.76	24.78	10.13	Jangipur.		
0.55	0.25	1.50	0.25	1.25	...	4.00	0.55	0.50	...	15	11.7	16.32	10.07	4.15	16.32	10.07	Lakrola.		
...	0.93	0.80	0.05	0.80	0.08	0.62	0.35	0.45	0.05	18	12.1	18.47	11.35	3.60	18.47	11.35	Akriganj.		
0.37	0.63	0.46	0.06	0.20	0.33	3.10	0.33	3.26	0.09	18	12.1	15.08	10.48	3.10	15.08	10.48	Patkabari.		
0.68	0.25	0.14	0.02	2.16	0.13	0.24	1.54	0.04	0.55	20	11.8	17.80	12.02	4.00	17.80	12.02	Dumkal.		
3.00	0.50	0.40	...	1.50	0.25	0.40	2.50	2.30	0.08	21	14.0	22.78	11.88	4.50	22.78	11.88	Narail	Jessore	
6.42	2.89	0.58	0.02	0.21	0.06	1.39	0.35	0.08	0.53	21	14.4	25.07	12.85	6.42	25.07	12.85	Jessore.		
1.35	0.50	...	...	1.33	3.51	1.65	0.55	0.80	0.65	19	14.1	22.44	12.36	3.51	22.44	12.36	Jhenida.		
4.33	2.50	0.60	...	...	0.26	...	0.50	...	...	40	14.0	16.41	11.64	4.36	16.41	11.64	Magura.		
8.38	1.85	...	0.14	...	0.85	0.62	0.04	...	0.85	18	18.1	22.80	10.49	8.38	22.80	10.49	Bongaon.		
4.50	0.74	2.30	0.03	1.13	8.30	2.44	...	0.44	0.02	19	13.8	24.57	11.86	4.50	24.57	11.86	Satkhira	Khulna	
1.94	4.22	0.13	0.07	0.28	1.24	0.84	0.03	0.21	...	17	15.6	23.50	14.27	4.94	23.50	14.27	Begerhat.		
3.55	0.14	0.80	0.31	...	3.67	1.31	...	0.35	...	21	15.3	22.23	12.70	3.55	22.23	12.70	Khulna.		
3.90	0.32	2.30	...	0.20	4.83	3.65	...	0.20	...	21	12.6	32.48	13.36	4.83	32.48	13.36	Kaiganj.		
1.06	0.17	0.77	...	0.83	0.45	...	...	1.08	...	18	12.7	16.02	12.86	3.60	16.02	12.86	Nakipur.		
3.82	...	1.12	0.70	...	2.25	3.66	0.18	...	0.15	18	13.8	18.22	12.31	3.82	18.22	12.31	Jumuria.		
4.4	0.21	1.02	0.08	...	0.38	0.04	0.12	...	0.05	20	13.7	19.28	12.58	4.74	19.28	12.58	Rampal.		
5.14	0.41	...	...	0.12	0.68	0.30	0.26	0.19	...	19	13.8	18.48	10.93	5.14	18.48	10.93	Kalaroa.		
2.85	...	1.01	0.68	...	2.25	0.50	...	0.36	0.25	18	13.9	21.63	12.01	3.30	21.63	12.01	Paikgachha.		
1.60	0.49	0.23	0.11	3.38	0.55	0.08	0.19	...	0.37	22	13.4	25.77	14.53	4.04	25.77	14.53	Mollahat.		
1.90	0.10	0.30	0.45	0.23	2.30	4.55	1.50	0.30	0.25	26	15.4	32.51	15.15	4.55	32.51	15.15	Morelganj.		
3.45	0.58	0.27	...	0.57	0.68	3.50	...	0.65	0.20	22	12.7	24.71	11.32	4.96	24.71	11.32	Tala.		
5.50	1.82	...	...	...	0.20	0.82	0.42	0.12	0.49	19	11.8	20.04	10.18	5.50	20.04	10.18	Kalna.	Burdwan	
6.50	6.47	0.16	...	0.98	0.01	2.81	1.80	0.05	...	17	12.3	31.76	9.88	6.50	31.76	9.88	Burdwan.		
0.48	5.03	1.04	0.05	0.55	0.05	0.36	1.30	...	2.80	14	12.2	26.71	9.68	5.03	26.71	9.68	Katwa.		
1.40	1.10	8	10.7	19.00	9.80	6.55	19.00	9.80	Asansol.		
5.10	2.50	4.40	...	1.60	15	15.7	37.70	15.00	6.10	37.70	15.00	Mankar.		
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...	(n)	(n)	(n)	(n)	(n)	(n)	(n)	Monteswar.		
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1.30	2.45	0.79	3.18	0.48	0.58	...	1.26	0.85	0.55	20	12.4	34.21	11.85	3.18	34.21	11.85	Bolpur.		
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...	Labpur.		
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1.40	1.40	...	1.15	...	0.11	2.83	0.14	0.10	0.12	18	12.2	18.38	10.84	3.35	18.38	10.84	Khatra.		
2.12	4.55	0.03	...	2.12	0.02	1.08	...	0.09	...	16	11.6	31.12	9.13	5.69	31.12	9.13	Indas.		
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3.19	0.26	...	0.50	1.03	0.86	11	13.8	10.16	8.77	3.19	10.16	8.77	Silda	(Sei-pahar).		
4.40	...	1.60	...	0.40	0.30	1.00	...	0.30	0.20	15	12.0	14.90	12.77	4.40	14.90	12.77	Goaltore.	Midnapore.		
0.44	0.17	...	...	...	...	0.12	...	...	...	11	12.0	10.29	11.11	4.60	10.29	11.11	Salboni.	Midnapore.
1.70	0.70	...	...	0.20	...	...	...	...	...	12	10.5	11.52	12.45	3.30	11.52	12.45	Narayangarh.	Midnapore.
0.40	0.20	...	...	...	0.70	...	...	0.30	...	15	15.4	14.65	13.48	...	...	...	Ramnagar.	Midnapore.
3.60	3.22	...	0.15	...	0.08	...	...	0.20	...	13	11.9	21.22	9.88	7.24	21.22	9.88	Mohanpur.	Midnapore.
...	0.15	...	...	...	...	...	1.00	...	...	14	18.0	15.90	12.56	3.00	15.90	12.56	Henria.	Midnapore.
3.81	3.57	0.38	0.51	...	1.10	0.19	...	0.42	1.68	18	13.8	23.04	16.15	3.81	23.04	16.15	Jenka (Kajri).	Midnapore.		
4.55	0.75	0.06	0.15	...	0.53	...	0.01	0.20	0.13	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nandigram.	Midnapore.
3.58	2.42	0.02	0.15	...	3.18	5.77	0.11	...	8.58	12	(n)	21.79	(n)	5.27	21.79	(n)	Moyna.	Midnapore.		
4.90	1.34	0.23	0.37	0.03	0.07	0.04	...	...	1.11	34	(n)	17.27	(n)	4.90	17.27	(n)	Pingla.	Midnapore.
2.75	1.75	0.05	...	0.15	1.60	0.61	0.03	...	0.50	17	(n)	17.65	(n)	3.75	17.65	(n)	Narajole.	Midnapore.		
4.02	1.40	0.05	0.02	0.16	1.32	0.03	0.09	0.05	0.22	18	12.1	15.20	10.20	4.02	15.20	10.20	Kolihat.	Midnapore.		
2.90	...	...	...	2.72	...	...	...	0.59	...	17	12.2	24.14	9.80	6.78	24.14	9.80	Jhargram.	Midnapore.
5.00	6.78	0.10	0.02	...	0.45	1.31	0.21	...	...	14	12.2	28.71	9.80	6.78	28.71	9.80	Balichak.	Midnapore.
4.69	1.77	0.73	...	...	1.41	0.61	...	0.23	3.07	21	12.5	23.56	11.02	4.69	23.56	11.02	Lachmapur.	Midnapore.
4.42	0.82	0.32	0.12	...	0.17	0.03	...	0.45	0.07	16	12.3	25.88	11.29	4.42	25.88	11.29	Serampore	Hooghly	Hooghly ...	
4.28	1.27	0.15	...	...	0.38	0.12	...	1.56	0.06	16	13.6	20.67	10.91	4.28	20.67	10.91	Hooghly.	Hooghly
6.00	2.17	...	0.23	...	0.15	0.03	...	0.50	0.15	16	11.8	26.65	11.52	6.00	26.65	11.52	Arambagh.	Hooghly		
...		Hooghly ...
0.04	0.73	0.43	0.38	1.04	0.17	0.19	0.57	0.14	0.21	20	12.5	14.81	10.42	4.12	14.81	10.42	Howrah	Howrah	Howrah ...	
0.01	0.22	...	0.03	2.52	...	...	0.55	0.2	1.10	19	12.1	13.47	11.07	2.02	13.47	11.07	Howrah.	Howrah
0.07	0.18	0.09	...	1.04	0.76	0.25	0.32	0.95	1.16	19	12.9	14.23	12.44	2.27	14.23	12.44	Meherseka.	Howrah		
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11.5	...	10.44	...	...	...	Uthuria.	Howrah
0.30	0.20	0.21	3.23	0.73	0.22	0.52	1.02	1.21	3.63	21	11.4	20.41	10.59	3.23	20.41	10.59	Amta.	Boalia	Boalia ...	
0.34	0.40	...	3.56	...	...	1.20	2.25	5.45	0.45	16	12.8	24.99	11.78	5.45	24.99	11.78	Boalia (Obsy.)...	Boalia
...	0.71	0.32	...	2.53	0.80	...	1.90	3.75	0.95	17	12.2	23.42	10.56	3.75	23.42	10.56	Natore.	Boalia		
0.05	0.35	0.30	...	2.05	2.26	0.15	0.10	0.10	...	20	(n)	19.25	(n)	3.00	19.25	(n)	Naugon.	Boalia		
...	(n)	...	(n)	(n)	...	Bilmaria.	Boalia	
0.80	0.65	0.61	1.80	7.64	2.50	1.50	0.15	17	10.9	22.20	11.45	3.50	22.20	11.45	Manda.	Boalia	Boalia ...	
...	0.65	0.69	1.14	1.63	1.50	3.00	0.63	2.27	2.33	16	12.6	20.45	15.80	3.00	20.45	15.80	Mahadebpur.	Boalia		
0.08	...	0.65	0.54	3.03	...	0.18	0.58	3.70	3.89	16	13.0	24.70	13.40	3.70	24.70	13.40	Tanor.	Boalia		
...	0.32	2.58	0.95	...	...	...	0.94	0.60	0.89	16	11.7	17.02	11.55	4.33	17.02	11.55	Chaugram.	Boalia
...	0.45	...	2.65	1.98	...	3.66	1.45	2.65	0.60	15	12.0	27.51	12.96	4.33	27.51	12.96	Joari.	Boalia		
0.25	0.08	0.52	0.52	3.10	0.22	0.95	4.30	1.20	1.30	19	13.5	26.52	14.51	3.90	26.52	14.51	Nithpur.	Dinajpur	Dinajpur ...	
0.20	1.60	1.90	0.45	3.30	2.20	1.25	6.00	1.80	...	19	13.0	39.50	11.95	6.10	39.50	11.95	Nawabganj.	Dinajpur		
...	0.08	0.87	5.80	4.45	0.63	0.11	0.15	...	...	19	13.6	30.18	16.59	7.50	30.18	16.59	G. nagarpur.	Dinajpur
...	...	0.85	5.63	4.45	...	0.65	1.30	0.45	1.30	17	12.7	30.35	15.26	5.65	30.35	15.26	Churamon.	Dinajpur		
...	0.11	0.71	5.42	2.76	0.36	0.09	1.15	8.31	0.69	20	13.7	25.39	16.82	5.42	25.39	16.82	Balganj.	Dinajpur	Dinajpur ...	
0.57	0.25	6.41	0.20	0.37	0.32	0.19	2.50	0.88	0.26	20	15.1	25.47	19.94	8.37	25.47	19.94	Dinajpur.	Dinajpur		
0.08	0.04	0.85	4.19	5.10	0.36	0.43	1.02	7.60	7.3	22	13.4	29.19	16.80	5.25	29.19	16.80	Balughat.	Dinajpur		
0.12	0.27	1.17	1.40	1.42	0.60	1.50	0.40	2.20	2.71	20	13.6	22.17	13.40	3.20	22.17	13.40	Thakurgaon.	Dinajpur		
0.25	...	0.20	7.40	1.80	0.90	0.60	0.90	1.80	1.05	20	18.0	30.25	24.94	7.40	30.25	24.94	Setabganj.	Dinajpur	Dinajpur ...	
...	0.73	0.21	6.15	3.78	3.60	0.63	2.20	0.80	0.20	20	16.9	36.70	29.69	7.60	36.70	29.69	Ramganj.	Dinajpur		
...	0.72	7.55	2.23	2.76	0.35	0.84	3.09	0.65	...	20	16.6	30.90	22.77	7.55	30.90	22.77	Atwari.	Dinajpur		
0.60	0.50	0.30	6.10	6.14	2.50	1.12	0.55	0.48	0.95	23	15.7	32.31	18.70	6.14	32.31	18.70	Birganj.	Dinajpur		
0.73	0.55	0.24	1.97	0.60	0.05	...	0.75	1.61	0.26	21	21.1	17.98	26.59	2.31	17.98	26.59	Parbatipur.	Dinajpur	Jalpaiguri...	
...	Jalpaiguri.		Jalpaiguri
...	1.29	0.52	5.79	2.42	1.67	0.35	1.79	1.60	0.72	25	22.4	38.92	38.15	6.85	38.92	38.15	Alipur Duari.	Jalpaiguri		
0.03	0.31	1.35	3.55	2.40	2.30	0.57	1.64	2.82	0.32	23	19.5	27.30	26.05	3.55	27.30	26.05	Panikata.	Jalpaiguri		
1.08	0.13	...	9.26	3.90	3.45	0.35	3.18	3.28	0.06	22	18.3	54.98	30.79	9.26	54.98	30.79				

DAILY RAINFALL RECORDED IN

DIVISION.	DISTRICT.	Station.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	
RAJ-SHAHI —concl'd.	Malda	Malda	2.98	0.20	...	0.40	3.10	...	...	0.28	...	...	...	...	1.39	2.31	1.79	0.06	0.02	...	0.78	4.03
		Chanchal	2.28	...	...	0.33	5.15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1.85	0.80	1.83	0.35	0.18	...	1.46	3.32
		Gazol	2.65	...	...	2.65	3.20	...	...	0.20	...	...	...	...	0.16	2.94	0.84	0.80	...	...	2.23	0.55
		Sibganj*	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
		Gomastapur	2.94	...	...	...	2.30	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1.45	0.17	2.16	0.10	0.43	5.40	3.70
	Dacca	Nawabganj	...	...	0.82	1.39	...	0.33	...	...	...	...	0.37	...	...	0.81	1.95	0.33	0.75	0.25	2.03	3.77
		Munshiganj	0.78	0.80	0.67	0.19	1.11	0.15	...	...	...	...	...	...	0.78	0.28	...	0.09	0.42	0.27	1.46	2.11
		Dacca	1.20	0.85	0.63	0.09	0.71	0.07	...	...	...	...	...	...	0.86	0.09	0.02	0.20	0.29	0.79	1.58	3.09
		Nawabganj	...	0.19	0.67	0.59	...	0.49	...	...	...	0.06	...	...	1.66	0.26	0.72	0.31	...	0.28	0.71	2.09
		Narayanganj	0.15	1.28	0.46	0.07	0.27	...	...	...	0.02	0.02	...	...	0.37	0.02	0.04	0.12	0.02	0.84	1.01	1.95
	Mymensingh	Narsingdi	0.22	2.10	0.57	0.80	0.05	0.38	...	...	...	...	...	...	0.25	0.31	...	0.05	0.01	0.07	0.98	1.45
		Manikganj	0.30	0.80	...	0.20	0.15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0.20	0.05	0.30	0.78	0.14	0.43	0.50	0.92
		Joydebpur	0.75	0.89	0.97	0.51	0.34	0.60	...	0.14	...	0.35	0.20	...	0.08	0.36	0.03	1.63	1.65	1.40	1.35		
		Kapasia	1.70	0.60	0.60	0.90	0.20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0.20	0.10	...	...	...	0.18	0.75	2.64
		Kishorganj	0.21	...	0.60	0.69	...	0.85	...	0.01	0.51	0.02	...	...	0.33	0.28	...	0.30	0.60	2.20	0.77	1.88
DACCA.	Faridpur	Atia (Tangail)	...	...	1.30	...	1.71	...	...	...	1.21	0.27	...	1.96	...	...	0.36	0.17	0.82	1.10	2.28	2.20
		Sariatbari	0.04	...	0.23	0.36	0.74	...	...	...	...	1.14	0.02	0.72	0.06	1.93	0.40	0.03	0.26	0.03	1.22	1.16
		Jaymensingh	1.81	0.74	0.03	0.50	0.70	0.82	...	0.57	...	0.98	0.53	0.01	1.39	0.94	0.43	1.35	0.85	0.76	1.47	0.09	
		Jamalpur	2.11	0.09	...	0.36	0.81	0.04	...	...	...	0.97	0.06	...	0.88	0.42	1.45	0.72	0.02	0.50	0.95	1.13
		Neurokona	0.79	1.06	0.03	0.20	1.60	1.00	...	1.42	0.64	0.25	0.08	0.08	0.95	0.53	...	1.13	0.45	1.60	4.35		
	Bakarganj	Pingua	...	0.25	0.14	...	0.45	0.25	0.20	1.05	...	0.56	1.00
		Durgapur	...	1.23	0.96	0.90	1.70	...	...	1.15	...	...	...	...	...	...	0.40	0.30	0.58	0.85	5.00	0.56
		Sherpur (Towen)	2.26	...	...	0.59	1.09	0.66	0.02	0.35	...	...	0.68	...	0.63	0.53	1.41	0.84	...	0.45	1.40	0.60
		Dewanganj	3.45	...	...	1.00	4.30	0.31	...	...	...	...	...	...	3.25	0.45	1.60	1.32	0.16	0.95	3.35	0.35
		Nalitabari	...	...	...	0.40	1.20	0.60	...	...	...	...	...	...	0.70	...	...	2.28	0.10	1.70	2.00	1.60
	Faridpur	Madaripur	0.53	0.39	0.89	0.15	0.09	0.16	...	...	...	...	...	...	0.78	...	...	0.17	...	0.82	1.27	5.21
		Faridpur	1.15	0.03	0.30	0.35	0.25	0.22	2.20	...	...	...	...	...	0.17	0.22	0.05	0.14	...	0.62	0.70	7.40
		Rajbari (Gondal)	0.23	0.07	0.42	0.13	0.92	0.35	...	3.53	0.03	...	...	...	0.15	0.7	0.10	0.65	...	0.60	0.81	4.21
		Haridaspur	...	0.98	1.05	0.99	0.48	...	...	...	...	...	...	0.18	0.19	0.47	0.11	0.30	0.29	0.25	1.92	2.58
		Takehat	0.39	0.18	0.61	0.62	1.48	0.06	...	0.02	...	...	...	...	1.32	0.16	0.41	0.12	0.02	0.57	1.88	6.71
	Chittagong	Bhanua	0.89	0.83	0.45	0.09	0.07	1.13	...	...	0.49	1.35	...	...	0.20	...	0.20	0.32	...	0.54	0.71	4.65
		Pangsa	0.25	0.10	0.30	0.12	0.10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0.25	0.30	...	0.70	...	0.70	2.90	2.10
		Bellakandi	0.70	0.09	0.80	0.25	0.58	0.61	0.02	0.24	0.03	...	0.07	...	0.15	0.24	0.42	0.02	0.94	0.89	7.21		
		Bhusna	0.22	1.38	...	1.20	...	...	...	2.75	0.08	...	...	...	...	0.40	0.20	...	0.32	0.62	0.95	7.50
		Palong	1.00	0.95	0.47	0.17	0.76	0.83	...	...	...	...	...	...	1.40	1.30	0.40	0.13	...	0.13	2.50	6.05
	Tippera	Patuakhali	0.63	0.85	4.09	2.55	0.73	...	0.82	1.14	0.21	0.65	0.73	0.13	0.48	0.36	2.83	4.18
		Barguna	2.75	1.50	1.73	1.15	1.12	0.25	3.16	0.37	...	...	...	...	0.45	2.83	0.55	...	0.15	0.40	1.03	4.21
		Prozpur	0.40	1.00	2.80	1.50	0.33	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0.15	4.02	0.18	...	1.26	...	3.66
		Barisal	0.53	2.00	4.07	0.72	0.27	1.18	0.06	0.22	0.20	...	...	...	0.31	0.16	0.15	0.45	0.73	1.35	0.07	3.72
		Gaurandi	0.15	1.22	1.12	0.60	0.07	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0.30	0.28	0.25	0.02	0.28	...	0.23	2.15
CHITTAGONG.	Chittagong	Bhoia	...	1.81	2.08	0.75	1.00	0.40	0.37	0.25	...	0.25	...	0.04	0.52	0.19	1.10	0.14	2.65	0.45	1.67	3.67	
		Daulatkhan	0.22	2.00	2.65	3.30	0.08	0.021	0.04	0.61	0.09	0.07	0.25	0.16	1.13	0.15	0.50	0.05	0.95	0.20	3.42	5.20	
		Bauphal	1.01	3.65	1.18	1.57	...	...	2.13	0.28	...	...	...	...	0.35	0.25	2.55	0.28	0.04	0.48	0.99	4.75
		Cox's Bazar	...	0.65	0.98	1.09	2.60	0.14	...	0.40	0.30	0.05	0.12	0.22	0.48	1.09	1.61	0.05	1.08	2.27	0.33	3.08	
		Chittagong	0.01	0.83	0.18	0.25	0.14	0.33	...	0.27	0.03	...	...	...	0.01	0.01	0.06	1.21	0.25	0.43	1.39	1.60
	Tippera	Kutubdia	...	0.40	0.49	0.35	2.47	0.22	0.35	0.10	0.02	1.28	...	0.50	1.10	2.27
		Satkania	...	0.78	...	1.07	...	0.30	...	...	0.80	...	1.90	...	...	0.45	0.62	0.35	4.20	1.04	1.29	5.15
		Kodala	1.14	0.03	...	...	0.18	...	...	...	0.16	...	...	...	...	0.21	0.30	0.97	3.23	0.40	1.52	1.65
		Mirsarai	1.80	1.75	1.15	3.40	...	...	0.30	0.05	2.05	...	...	...	...	...	0.25	0.75	0.25	5.50	4.00	5.50
		Comilla	0.01	2.32	0.21	0.18	0.13	...	0.59	0.09	...	...	...	...	1.66	0.03	...	0.05	...	0.29	1.45	1.83
	Noakhali	Chandpur	1.20	1.73	1.15	1.32	2.0	...	4.50	...	...	...	...	...	1.81	0.56	0.06	0.09	...	0.21	0.14	4.14
		Brahmanbaria	1.02	0.41	0.54	1.02	0.25	0.15	...	...	...	...	...	...	0.80	0.46	...	0.04	0.56	0.50	0.92	2.03
		Ramechandrapur	2.21	0.27	...	...	0.60	...	...	...	0.08	...	...	0.60	...	...	...	0.40	0.21	0.86	1.75	0.80
		Nasirnagar	3.00	...	0.32	0.56	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1.58	...	...	...	...	0.45	2.15	0.70
		Daudkandi	1.35	0.70	0.20	0.70	0.40	...	1.95	...	...	...	...	0.12	0.11	0.30	0.90	0.15	1.25	1.20	1.61	
	Chittagong	Kasba	2.90	0.30	1.94	0.35	0.20	...	0.35	...	1.66	1.77	...	0.20	...	0.30	1.30	2.00	5.50	0.66	2.50	...	
		Laksam	0.45	1.12	...	...	0.08	0.40	0.80	0.11	...	...	...	...	1.25	...	...	...	0.81	1.87	0.56	0.66
		Noakhali	...	4.40	0.90	1.40	0.22	...	0.08	0.26	...	...	...	...	0.06	0.03	0.20	0.04	0.02	0.32	0.48	2.30
		Feni	4.81	0.22	0.31	0.23	0.13	0.04	0.20	0.31	0.22	1.21	...	...	...	0.04	0.56	1.47	1.29	2.34	3.47	3.52
		Harishpur	2.17	1.97	0.73	0.11	0.47	...	0.92	...	0.41	...	...	...	...	0.19	0.55	0.43	1.36	1.24	0.52	1.04
COOCH BEHAR.	Chittagong	Ramganj	0.48	0.21	0.15	0.80	...	1.05	...	...	...	...	...	...	0.25	1.15	0.75	...	0.03	0.10	2.50	0.35
		Chhaganaya	0.87	2.40	1.01	0.36	1.08	...	...	0.33	...	0.30	...	...	1.34	...	0.15	1.50	...	0.32	1.89	4.52
		Hatiya	0.30	0.80	0.93	0.70	0.60	0.25	...	0.22	...	...	...	0.15	0.20	0.50	0.10	...	0.40	0.90	0.44	
		Lakshmipur	...	1.35	1.15	1.60	0.12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1.85	0.15	...	...	...	2.27	0.47	2.80
		Rangamati	...	1.40	0.21	0.03	0.67	0.0															

BENGAL FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE 1922—conold.

21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	No. of rainy days.	Average number of rainy days.	Total rainfall for the month.	Normal rainfall for the month.	Highest rainfall during the month.	Total rainfall from 1st June up to 30th June 1922.	Normal rainfall from 1st June up to 30th June 1922.	Station.	DISTRICT.	DIVISION.	
0.24	0.39	0.61	0.20	1.20	0.24	...	0.13	1.26	0.20	19	11.7	21.81	10.19	4.03	21.81	10.19	Malda	Malda	RAJSHAHI—conold.	
...	0.12	0.90	2.26	0.99	...	1.16	0.71	1.25	0.32	18	11.2	22.27	11.49	5.15	22.27	11.49	Chanchal.	...		
0.20	0.15	0.40	0.49	2.20	...	0.13	...	2.00	0.70	18	11.4	22.32	9.83	3.20	22.32	9.83	Basol.	...		
0.62	0.06	...	2.50	...	...	2.79	0.84	0.10	...	14	10.8	23.56	10.05	5.40	25.56	10.05	Sibganj.	...
0.77	...	0.27	0.81	0.07	0.03	2.01	2.5	...	1.60	20	12.3	20.24	11.89	3.77	20.24	11.89	Gomastapur.	...		
3.59	1.25	0.45	0.60	0.23	0.27	0.43	0.43	...	0.07	22	15.5	17.87	14.26	3.59	17.87	14.06	Nawabganj.	...		
4.17	1.05	0.09	0.09	0.19	0.02	0.46	0.76	0.01	...	20	15.2	18.50	13.89	4.17	18.50	13.89	Dacca.	...		
1.14	0.70	1.12	0.04	0.19	0.64	0.13	0.75	0.08	0.04	19	13.0	13.22	16.21	2.09	13.22	16.21	Nawabganj.	...		
3.00	0.97	0.41	0.28	0.13	0.02	1.07	0.02	0.11	0.08	18	16.3	15.38	13.91	3.00	15.38	13.91	Narayanganj.	...		
1.25	0.72	0.73	0.03	...	0.23	1.26	0.24	0.09	0.33	18	14.5	16.79	16.21	4.56	16.79	16.21	Narsingdi.	...		
1.04	0.45	0.45	0.37	...	0.10	1.00	0.42	2.78	0.35	21	13.4	14.08	11.33	2.80	14.08	11.53	Manikganj.	...		
0.81	...	0.14	1.17	0.29	2.78	0.22	...	0.67	...	23	16.5	19.70	14.25	2.78	19.70	14.25	Joydebpur.	...		
1.19	0.50	...	0.10	...	0.11	0.12	2.50	0.90	0.40	19	16.8	12.74	15.08	2.64	12.74	15.08	Kapasia.	...		
1.35	0.38	0.47	0.24	0.10	...	1.20	0.55	2.40	0.11	21	16.5	16.07	18.32	2.40	16.07	18.32	Kishorganj.	Mymensingh	DACCA.	
2.11	1.10	0.15	...	1.10	0.19	1.32	1.10	0.07	0.05	18	13.1	18.57	12.31	2.28	18.57	12.31	Atia (Tangail).	...		
0.77	0.48	1.04	0.12	0.50	2.68	0.39	0.03	0.17	3.00	21	14.0	17.96	13.32	3.00	17.96	13.32	Sarishabari.	...		
1.50	0.19	0.77	0.44	0.01	0.21	0.19	1.66	0.18	0.33	25	18.4	19.53	19.06	1.81	19.53	19.06	Mymensingh.	...		
0.80	0.12	1.11	...	0.90	3.04	3.08	0.40	1.44	0.15	21	15.0	21.60	15.07	3.08	21.60	15.07	Jamulpur.	...		
0.40	0.45	0.44	0.18	...	0.19	1.39	1.89	0.32	0.13	23	19.3	21.09	23.62	4.35	21.09	23.62	Netrokona.	...		
0.83	0.15	0.95	...	0.90	...	1.02	0.12	1.15	0.88	17	14.3	9.79	12.70	1.15	9.79	12.70	Pingna.	...		
0.32	1.00	0.90	3.55	0.65	1.45	4.30	0.30	0.20	0.15	22	18.1	20.51	27.26	6.00	20.51	27.26	Durgapur.	...		
1.05	0.95	1.27	...	0.25	0.95	3.70	0.53	0.97	0.35	22	15.6	21.56	15.97	3.70	21.56	15.97	Sherpur (Tota).	...		
1.35	0.21	2.50	...	1.11	6.45	1.08	...	1.60	1.95	21	13.2	41.15	15.92	6.45	41.15	15.92	Dewanganj.	...		
0.95	2.50	...	0.20	0.19	0.15	3.10	3.22	0.65	0.30	18	16.3	21.94	21.63	3.22	21.94	21.63	Nalitabari.	...		
1.73	0.90	0.51	0.45	0.73	0.18	1.25	...	0.18	0.25	21	16.2	22.26	19.76	5.21	22.26	12.76	Madaripur.	Faridpur.	CHITTAGONG.	
1.72	0.25	0.7	...	0.54	0.44	2.85	2.41	0.22	0.20	22	14.7	24.60	13.12	7.40	24.60	13.12	Faridpur.	...		
3.52	0.90	0.64	0.03	0.53	0.61	0.84	0.11	0.50	1.35	22	15.6	19.44	14.38	4.21	19.44	14.38	Rajbari.	...		
0.52	0.56	0.05	...	2.23	2.17	0.01	0.39	0.03	0.05	19	14.1	19.07	12.41	2.58	19.07	12.41	(Gosalundo).	...		
3.37	2.04	1.93	0.13	0.05	2.27	2.11	0.44	0.06	0.08	20	17.0	30.10	20.09	6.71	30.10	20.09	Hariadpur.	...		
2.05	0.25	0.50	0.15	...	1.50	1.45	0.58	0.35	0.25	23	17.0	30.20	13.16	2.65	30.20	13.16	Takerhat.	...		
1.10	1.80	0.70	0.35	4.0	...	...	1.00	2.36	...	20	16.2	30.96	14.86	4.10	30.96	14.86	Bhanga.	...
4.08	2.42	0.48	0.04	0.11	1.68	0.78	0.56	1.51	0.99	23	18.9	28.82	16.07	7.21	28.82	16.07	Pangsa.	...		
0.40	...	0.75	0.11	0.43	1.07	2.23	0.57	0.35	0.26	20	16.0	24.89	13.74	7.50	24.89	13.74	Balakandi.	...		
3.00	0.3	0.61	...	0.11	0.39	1.32	0.73	0.23	0.03	22	18.2	25.34	19.73	6.08	25.34	19.73	Bhuna.	...		
2.29	4.54	0.39	0.04	0.68	0.57	1.32	3.25	2.51	0.08	23	17.5	56.06	21.78	4.54	56.06	21.78	Patuakhali.	Bakarganj	CHITTAGONG.	
3.08	0.42	0.27	1.03	0.75	2.45	3.42	4.05	0.22	1.26	26	17.6	33.22	20.80	4.21	33.22	20.80	Bargana.	...		
4.17	0.11	0.03	0.92	0.69	0.08	0.33	0.03	0.02	...	16	16.2	24.83	15.36	4.17	24.83	15.36	Pirojpur.	...		
4.55	0.30	0.77	...	0.02	2.00	0.67	0.82	1.25	0.07	23	16.8	31.49	16.59	4.55	31.49	16.59	Barsal.	...		
2.14	0.22	0.08	0.13	0.11	0.80	0.24	0.21	0.07	0.12	20	14.8	15.90	12.92	5.12	15.90	12.92	Gaurnadi.	...		
2.90	1.33	0.72	0.22	0.56	2.50	0.20	0.50	2.50	0.25	26	17.7	29.65	18.54	3.67	29.65	18.54	Bhola.	...		
3.60	1.77	0.48	0.20	1.35	2.35	0.75	0.53	2.37	0.52	26	17.6	35.77	21.29	5.20	35.77	21.29	Daulatkhan.	...		
1.32	0.18	0.11	1.02	4.35	1.02	1.03	2.42	0.82	0.27	24	16.5	34.44	17.14	4.35	34.44	17.14	Bauphal.	...		
2.35	1.31	0.01	1.11	1.20	1.80	7.29	3.61	2.75	1.95	25	18.8	39.94	30.39	7.29	39.94	30.39	Cox's Bazar.	Chittagong		TIPPERA ...
1.80	0.59	...	...	0.09	0.32	1.37	2.29	3.26	2.06	20	16.8	21.73	21.87	3.26	21.73	21.87	Chittagong.	...
2.65	0.85	...	0.61	0.67	1.35	2.88	3.90	2.65	2.97	21	16.6	35.88	22.90	7.40	35.88	22.90	Kutubdia.	...		
0.20	...	...	0.45	...	1.15	3.50	1.45	1.50	0.20	21	17.1	33.35	19.68	5.45	33.35	19.68	Satkalia.	...
3.48	0.65	0.87	0.12	0.25	0.12	1.53	2.79	1.14	0.60	21	17.4	24.41	17.80	3.48	24.41	17.80	Kodalia.	...		
2.10	...	0.30	0.42	0.50	4.90	2.30	6.53	1.55	0.43	22	17.3	49.05	22.59	6.55	49.05	22.59	Mirsarai.	...		
5.00	1.05	0.05	0.30	0.59	1.53	0.76	0.12	0.76	0.22	20	17.4	24.75	18.05	5.00	24.75	18.05	Comilla.	...		
5.4	1.0	...	...	0.50	0.15	...	...	...	...	21	16.8	20.43	16.54	4.22	20.43	16.54	Chandpur.	...
1.15	1.28	0.08	0.09	0.22	0.36	1.65	0.44	0.04	0.03	20	16.8	16.26	15.35	2.20	16.26	15.35	Brahmanbaria.	...		
0.92	...	0.70	0.89	...	1.72	0.98	...	0.11	0.22	17	13.2	14.87	16.29	2.21	14.87	16.29	Ramchandrapur.	...		
1.28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	14.9	10.54	16.26	3.00	10.54	16.26	Nasirnagar.	...
0.65	0.48	0.90	...	1.00	0.71	0.20	0.20	0.10	0.82	25	14.3	18.30	14.38	2.80	18.30	14.38	Daudkandi.	...		
1.07	...	...	...	1.06	1.40	1.50	0.41	...	...	20	16.3	26.77	15.60	5.80	26.77	15.60	Kaiba.	...
5.45	0.40	...	...	1.05	0.75	0.65	0.75	0.66	0.60	20	14.4	18.32	16.43	3.45	18.32	16.43	Laksam.	...
4.24	0.65	1.46	0.06	0.92	2.20	3.60	1.54	1.82	2.02	19	18.3	34.76	23.47	5.54	34.76	23.47	Noakhali.	Noakhali	CHITTAGONG Hill Tracts.	
2.30	0.11	0.14	0.45	2.48	3.49	1.23	2.35	0.43	0.16	28	17.6	36.19	23.08	4.81	36.19	23.08	Feni.	...		
1.24	2.42	...	0.77	1.46	1.57	2.25	0.61	3.90	3.30	24	16.8	31.30	22.20	3.90	31.30	22.20	Harishpur.	...		
2.63	1.11	2.5	1.23	...	0.79	1.47	0.11	0.15	0.50	21	16.2	22.03	16.19	2.93	22.03	16.19	Ramganj.	...		
2.63	2.26	...	0.18	0.39	1.16	5.29	3.49	2.24	0.98	23	17.3	39.62	20.56	5.29	39.62	20.56	Chhagalnaya.	...		
1.45	1.10	0.40	1.32	2.25	2.15	3.20	3.5	1.26	0.											

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

Abstract Statement showing the approximate volume of Traffic and the Tollage on Canals in Bengal classed as Major Works and Minor Works and Navigation for the month of May, 1922, as compared with the corresponding month of the previous year.

Canals.	1922-23.					
	WEIGHT OF CARGO.		RAFTS.		TOLLAGE.	
	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.
<i>I.—Major Works.</i>	Tons.	Tons.	No.	No.	Rs.	Rs.
Midnapore Canal ...	3,295	8,839	100	5,100	2,583	6,592
Hijili Tidal Canal ...	8,165	15,221	427	1,059	8,743	16,354
Total ...	11,460	24,060	527	6,159	11,326	22,946
<i>II.—Minor Works and Navigation.</i>						
Calcutta and Eastern Canals ...	34,457	75,399	90	170	22,186	47,466
Tolly's Nala ...	22,366	40,432	23,900	46,200	6,214	12,073
Madaripur Bil Route ...	118,436	211,470	2,834	4,388	28,495	51,954
Total ...	175,259	327,301	26,824	50,758	56,895	111,493
Magrahat Channels ...	3,821	8,623	14,813	16,538	858	1,672
Orissa Coast Canal ...	4,435	8,573	600	2,705	1,581	2,995
Nadia Rivers ...	1,637	3,538	52,300	67,843	859	1,613
GRAND TOTAL ...	185,152	348,035	94,537	137,844	60,193	117,773

Canals.	1921-22.					
	WEIGHT OF CARGO.		RAFTS.		TOLLAGE.	
	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.	During the month.	To end of the month.
<i>I.—Major Works.</i>	Tons.	Tons.	No.	No.	Rs.	Rs.
Midnapore Canal ...	3,431	5,498	800	1,300	2,106	3,811
Hijili Tidal Canal ...	7,148	13,327	700	1,126	7,136	13,163
Total ...	10,579	18,825	1,500	2,426	9,242	16,974
<i>II.—Minor Works and Navigation.</i>						
Calcutta and Eastern Canals ...	31,102	51,840	340	490	19,010	34,599
Tolly's Nala ...	17,321	29,225	22,094	45,284	5,044	9,338
Madaripur Bil Route ...	69,387	146,064	574	841	16,607	34,139
Total ...	117,810	227,129	23,008	46,615	40,661	78,076
Magrahat Channels ...	2,909	6,664	...	...	544	1,226
Orissa Coast Canal ...	3,452	5,785	876	26,893	1,121	2,117
Nadia Rivers ...	1,676	3,524	10,800	28,700	788	1,798
GRAND TOTAL ...	125,847	243,102	34,684	102,208	43,114	83,217

T. C. BHATTACHARYA,
Asst. Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, the 18th July 1922.

Statement showing the daily gauge-readings of certain rivers at the stations named below for week ending Thursday, the 20th July 1922.

Name of river and place where readings are taken.	Date.	Hour.	Reading on gauge.	Value of zero referred to F. W. D. datum.	Height above P. W. D. datum.	COMPARED WITH PREVIOUS DAY'S HEIGHT.		HEIGHT ABOVE P. W. D. DATUM ON SAME DATE IN—		Remarks.
						Rise.	Fall.	1921.	1920.	
Ganges ...	14th July 1922	6 A.M. ...	118.70'	0.00'	118.70'	0.40'	...	112.00'	117.70'	
	14th "	6 "	21.80'	56.319'	78.119'	0.50'	...	73.219'	73.869'	
	14th "	8 hours ...	21.80'	4.896'	26.696'	Steady.		27.196'	25.596'	
Brahmaputra	14th "	8 A.M. ...	24.80'	135.18'	159.98'	0.20'	...	163.78'	161.58'	
	14th "	12 hours ...	38.60'	1.509'	40.109'	Steady.		44.109'	41.409'	
	14th "	9 A.M. ...	19.20'	314.18'	333.38'	Steady.		335.93'	334.28'	
	14th "	6 hours ...	16.25'	1.61'	17.86'	Steady.		20.78'	17.61'	
Meghna	14th "	8.40 "	11.00'	1.61'	12.61'	Steady.		12.86'	13.61'	
	14th "	7 "	26.30'	1.509'	27.809'	0.10'	...	31.509'	29.209'	
	14th "	7 A.M. ...	27.40'	— 8.62'	18.78'	Steady.		19.18'	18.08'	
Dhaleswari	14th "	6 "	17.34'	1.509'	18.849'	0.47'	...	9.069'	9.239'	
Bhagirathi	14th "	6 "	11.00'	92.58'	103.58'	2.25'	...	102.58'	102.66'	
Damodar	14th "	6 "	21.83'	— 5.59'	16.24'	0.06'	...	16.53'	15.83'	
Lakhya	14th "	6 "	11.70'	— 0.599'	11.101'	0.20'	...	10.901'	10.401'	
Madaripur Bil Route (Lower Kumar).	14th "	6 "								

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						Rise.	Fall.	1921.	1920.	
Ganges ...	15th July 1922	6 A.M. ...	118.70'	0.00'	118.70'	Steady		112.50'	119.50'	
	15th " "	6 " "	22.20'	56.319'	78.519'	0.40'	...	73.569'	76.169'	
	15th " "	8 hours ...	21.80'	4.896'	26.696'	Steady		27.496'	25.796'	
Brahmaputra	15th " "	8 A.M. ...	24.70'	135.18'	159.88'	...	0.10'	164.28'	161.68'	
	15th " "	12 hours ...	38.50'	1.509'	40.009'	...	0.10'	44.109'	41.409'	
	15th " "	1½ P.M. ...	20.60'	314.18'	334.78'	1.40'	...	336.08'	333.48'	
Meghna	15th " "	6 hours ...	16.42'	1.61'	18.03'	0.17'	...	11.03'	17.69'	
	15th " "	9-15 hours	10.83'	1.61'	12.44'	...	0.17	12.86'	13.86'	
	15th " "	7 hours ...	26.35'	1.509'	27.859'	0.05'	...	31.609'	29.409'	
Dhaleswari	15th " "	7 A.M. ...	27.50'	-8.62'	18.88'	0.10'	...	19.28'	18.08'	
Bhagirathi	15th " "	6 " "	18.38'	1.509'	19.889'	1.04'	...	10.099'	9.469'	
Damodar	15th " "	6 " "	13.00'	92.58'	105.58'	2.00'	...	102.33'	103.24'	
Lakhya	15th " "	6 " "	21.79'	-5.59'	16.20'	...	0.04'	16.62'	16.10'	
Madaripur Bil Route (Lower Kumar).	15th " "	6 " "	11.90'	-0.599'	11.301'	0.20'	...	11.001'	10.501'	

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						Rise.	Fall.	1921.	1920.	
Ganges ...	Monghyr ...	16th July 1922	6 A.M. ...	118.70'	0.00'	118.70'	Steady	113.10'	119.60'	
	Rajmahal ...	16th " "	6 " "	22.30'	56.319'	78.619'	0.10'	74.069'	77.119'	
	Goalundo ...	16th " "	8 hours ...	21.80'	4.896'	26.696'	Steady	27.596'	26.196'	
Brahmaputra	Gauhati ...	16th " "	8 A.M. ...	24.30'	135.18'	159.48'	...	164.78'	161.68'	
	Sirajganj ...	16th " "	12 hours ...	38.30'	1.509'	39.809'	...	44.209'	41.309'	
	Dibrugarh ...	16th " "	9 A.M. ...	20.10'	314.18'	334.28'	...	336.58'	333.48'	
Meghna ...	Bhairab Bazar ...	16th " "	6 hours ...	16.50'	1.61'	18.11'	0.08'	21.28'	17.69'	
	Chandpur ...	16th " "	10 " "	10.83'	1.61'	12.44'	Steady	13.11'	13.86'	
	Fenchuganj ...	16th " "	7 " "	26.70'	1.509'	28.209'	0.35'	31.709'	29.509'	
Dhaleswari	Sabhar ...	16th " "	7 A.M. ...	27.50'	- 8.62'	18.88'	Steady	19.68'	18.08'	
	Swarupganj ...	16th " "	6 " "	19.42'	1.509'	20.929'	1.04'	9.869'	9.779'	
	Edilpur ...	16th " "	6 " "	11.92'	92.58'	104.50'	...	99.58'	105.33'	
Lakhya ...	Narayanganj ...	16th " "	6 " "	21.71'	- 5.59'	16.12'	...	16.74'	16.39'	
	Madaripur Bil Route (Lower Kumer).	16th " "	6 " "	12.00'	- 0.599'	11.401'	0.10'	11.001'	10.701'	

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						Rise.	Fall.	1921.	1922.	
Ganges ...	17th July 1922	6 A.M.	118.10'	0.00'	118.10'	...	0.60'	113.70'	119.80'	
	17th "	6 "	22.10'	56.319'	78.419'	...	0.20'	74.519'	77.369'	
	17th "	6 "	21.80'	4.896'	26.696'	Steady.		27.696'	26.496'	
Brahmaputra	17th "	6 "	24.80'	135.18'	159.98'	0.50'	...	164.98'	161.48'	
	17th "	12 hours	38.30'	1.509'	39.809'	Steady.		44.309'	41.609'	
	17th "	9 1/2 A.M.	19.70'	31.4.18'	333.88'	...	0.40'	337.58'	333.38'	
Meghna ...	17th "	6 hours	16.50'	1.61'	18.11'	Steady.		21.36'	17.78'	
	17th "	6 "	10.00'	1.61'	11.61'	...	0.83'	12.86'	13.86'	
	17th "	7 "	27.00'	1.509'	28.509'	0.30'	...	31.809'	29.509'	
Dhaleswari	17th "	7 A.M.	27.50'	- 8.62'	18.88'	Steady.		19.78'	18.38'	
	17th "	6 "	20.81'	1.509'	22.319'	1.39'	...	9.649'	11.069'	
	17th "	6 "	11.33'	92.58'	103.91'	...	0.58'	97.75'	104.33'	
Lakhya	17th "	6 "	21.62'	- 5.59'	16.03'	...	0.08'	16.95'	16.41'	
	17th "	6 "	11.95'	- 0.599'	11.351'	...	0.05'	11.001'	10.901'	
Madaripur Bil Route (Lower Kumar).	17th "	6 "								

Statement showing the daily gauge-readings of certain rivers at the stations named below for week ending Thursday, the 20th July 1922.

Name of river and place where readings are taken.	Date.	Hour.	Reading on gauge.	Value of zero referred to P. W. D. datum.	Height above P. W. D. datum.	COMPARED WITH PREVIOUS DAY'S HEIGHT.		HEIGHT ABOVE P. W. D. DATUM ON SAME DATE IN—		Remarks.
						Rise.	Fall.	1921.	1920.	
Ganges ...	18th July 1922	6 A.M.	118.10'	0.00'	118.10'	Steady		114.50'	121.20'	
	18th "	6 "	21.90'	56.319'	78.219'	...	0.20'	74.969'	78.119'	
	18th "	8 hours	21.70'	4.896'	26.596'	...	0.10'	27.896'	26.696'	
Brahmaputra	18th "	8 A.M.	25.50'	135.18'	160.68'	0.70'	...	164.78'	161.48'	
	18th "	12 hours	38.40'	1.509'	39.909'	0.10'	...	44.459'	41.609'	
	18th "	8 A.M.	20.70'	314.18'	334.88'	1.00'	...	337.38'	333.58'	
Meghna...	18th "	6 hours	16.67'	1.61'	18.28'	0.17'	...	21.61'	17.86'	
	18th "	12 "	9.67'	1.61'	11.28'	...	0.33'	12.86'	14.03'	
	18th "	7 "	27.20'	1.509'	28.709'	0.20'	...	31.909'	29.509'	
Dhaleswari	18th "	7 A.M.	27.40'	-8.62'	18.78'	...	0.10'	20.08'	18.48'	
Bhagirathi	18th "	6 "	21.54'	1.509'	23.049'	0.73'	...	9.769'	13.059'	
Damodar	18th "	6 "	10.50'	92.58'	103.08'	...	0.83'	96.58'	105.16'	
Lakhya	18th "	6 "	21.60'	-5.59'	16.01'	...	0.02'	17.10'	16.45'	
Madaripur Bil Route (Lower Kumar).	18th "	6 "	11.95'	0.599'	11.351'	Steady		11.101'	11.001'	

Statement showing the daily gauge-readings of certain rivers at the stations named below for week ending Thursday, the 20th July 1922.

Name of river and place where readings are taken.	Date.	Hour.	Reading on gauge.	Value of zero referred to P. W. D. datum.	Height above P. W. D. datum.	COMPARED WITH PREVIOUS DAY'S HEIGHT.		HEIGHT ABOVE P. W. D. DATUM ON SAME DATE IN—		Remarks.
						Rise.	Fall.	1921.	1922.	
Ganges ...	19th July 1922	6 A.M.	118.60'	0.00'	118.60'	0.50'	...	115.00'	121.30'	
	19th "	6 "	21.80'	56.319'	78.119'	...	0.10'	75.419'	78.619'	
	19th "	8 hours	21.70'	4.896'	26.596'	Steady		28.096'	26.896'	
Brahmaputra ...	19th "	8 A.M.	25.80'	135.18'	160.98'	0.30'	...	164.88'	161.58'	
	19th "	12 hours	38.55'	1.509'	40.059'	0.15'	...	44.709'	41.609'	
	19th "	8 A.M.	21.40'	314.18'	335.58'	0.70'	...	336.98'	333.98'	
Meghna ...	19th "	6 hours	16.92'	1.61'	18.53'	0.25'	...	21.86'	17.94'	
	19th "	13 "	9.83'	1.61'	11.44'	0.17'	...	13.11'	13.86'	
	19th "	7 "	27.40'	1.509'	28.909'	0.20'	...	31.909'	29.409'	
Dhaleswari ...	19th "	7 A.M.	27.40'	-8.62'	18.78'	Steady		20.18'	18.58'	
	19th "	6 "	22.00'	1.509'	23.509'	0.46'	...	9.899'	15.622'	
	19th "	6 "	10.42'	92.58'	103.00'	...	0.08'	96.00'	103.66	
Lakhya ...	19th "	6 "	21.67'	-5.59'	16.08'	0.06'	...	17.33'	16.49'	
	19th "	6 "	12.00'	-0.599'	11.401'	0.05'	...	11.001'	11.101'	
Madaripur Bill Route (Lower Kumar).	19th "	6 "								

Statement showing the daily gauge-readings of certain rivers at the stations named below for the week ending Thursday, the 20th July 1922.

Name of river and place where readings are taken.	Date.	Hour.	Reading on gauge.	Value of zero referred to P. W. D. datum.	COMPARED WITH PREVIOUS DAY'S HEIGHT.		HEIGHT ABOVE P. W. D. DATUM ON SAME DATE IN—		Remarks.
					Rise.	Fall.	1921.	1920.	
Ganges	Monghyr ...	20th July 1922	6 A.M. ...	120.10'	0.00'	...	115.20'	121.60'	
	Rajmahal ...	20th "	6 "	22.10'	56.319'	...	75.769'	78.869'	
	Goalundo ...	20th "	8 hours ...	21.90'	4.896'	...	28.396'	27.196'	
Brahmaputra	Gauhati ...	20th "	8 A.M. ...	25.90'	135.18'	...	164.68'	161.58'	
	Sirajganj ...	20th "	12 hours ...	38.85'	1.509'	...	44.909'	41.609'	
	Dibrugarh ...	20th "	9½ A.M. ...	23.30'	314.18'	...	336.38'	333.38'	
Meghna	Bhairab Bazar ...	20th "	6 hours ...	17.00'	1.61'	...	21.94'	17.94'	
	Chandpur ...	20th "	14-20 hours ...	10.50'	1.61'	...	13.36'	13.78'	
	Fenchuganj ...	20th "	7 hours ...	30.50'	1.509'	...	32.109'	29.309'	
Dhaleswari	Sabhar ...	20th "	7 A.M. ...	27.40'	- 8.62'	Steady.	20.48'	18.58'	
	Swarupganj ...	20th "	6 "	22.10'	1.509'	...	10.369'	17.509'	
	Edilpur ...	20th "	6 "	10.58'	92.58'	...	95.50'	104.08'	
Lakhya	Narayanganj ...	20th "	6 "	21.79'	- 5.59'	...	17.58'	16.49'	
	Madaripur Bil Route (Lower Kumar).	20th "	6 "	12.10'	- 0.599'	...	11.201'	11.201'	

List of prices of articles of food at Calcutta on the week ending on the 22nd July 1922.

Names of articles.	WHOLESALE PRICE PER MAUND.		RETAIL PRICE PER SEER.	
	From—	To—	From—	To—
Rice—	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Balam, coarse	7 8 0	7 12 0	0 3 3	0 3 6
„ medium	8 0 0	8 8 0	0 3 6	0 3 9
Patnai, coarse	7 14 0	8 4 0	0 3 3	0 3 6
„ medium	8 6 0	.....	0 3 6	0 3 9
Nagra, coarse	8 8 0	.....	0 3 6	0 3 9
„ medium	9 0 0	.....	0 3 6	0 3 9
Dudhkalma	8 2 0	8 6 0	0 3 6	0 3 9
Rangoon Boiled	.....	.....	0 2 9	.....
Kajla	.....	.....	0 2 9	.....
Wheat, Dudhia	7 8 0	7 12 0	.....	.....
„ Gangajali	7 0 0	7 4 0	.....	.....
„ Jamali	6 0 0	6 12 0	.....	.....
Gram, Patnai (whole)	6 8 0	6 10 0	0 3 0	.....
„ dal	10 0 0	11 0 0	0 4 0	0 4 3
Mung „ (Hari)	8 12 0	9 4 0	0 4 6	0 5 0
„ „ (Krishna)	7 0 0	7 8 0	0 4 0	0 4 6
Arhar „	10 8 0	11 8 0	0 4 3	0 5 0
Masur „ (split)	6 8 0	7 0 0	0 3 0	.....
„ „ (Khanri)	8 12 0	9 4 0	0 3 6	0 4 0
Kalai „	8 0 0	9 0 0	0 3 6	0 4 0
Salt	2 10 0	.....	0 2 0	.....
Sugar (Brown Java)	14 8 0	14 12 0	0 6 0	.....
Gur, Bheli	.....	.....	0 5 0	.....
„ Bhursut	.....	.....	0 6 0	.....
„ Date	.....	.....	.....	.....
Milk	10 0 0	11 0 0	0 6 0	.....
Mustard Oil	24 8 0	26 8 0	0 11 0	0 13 0
Flour (Country)	9 4 0	10 12 0	0 4 6	0 5 0
Atta No. 3	5 8 0	6 8 0	0 3 9	0 4 6
„ „ 2½	5 8 0	6 8 0		
„ „ B	10 8 0	10 12 0		
Suji	10 12 0	.....	0 5 0	.....
Ghee (Bhadwa, Matki, etc.)	92 0 0	.....	2 0 0	2 4 0
„ [Patiram, Khurja, Ruto, Etwa (better kind), etc.]	86 0 0	.....	
„ (Lalli, Etwa, Sagar, etc.)	75 0 0	.....	
Maize	4 8 0	.....	.....	.....
Potatoes	11 0 0	12 0 0	0 5 0	.....
Patal	.....	.....	0 4 0	.....
Brinjal	.....	.....	0 5 0	.....
Onion	4 4 0	5 4 0	0 2 0	0 2 3
Fish, Rahu	45 0 0	47 0 0	1 4 0	.....
Mutton (2nd class)	.....	.....	1 0 0	1 4 0
Beef (2nd and 3rd classes)	.....	.....	0 6 0	0 8 0

N.B.—This is an abstract for price of the following markets :—

Wholesale.—Chetla Hât, Ramkrishnapur Hât, Sealdah Fish and Milk Markets and Posta Bazar.

Retail.—Sir Stuart Hogg Market, Orphananj Market, Sovabazar, Nutan Bazar, Raja Babu's Bazar, Karaya Bazar, Taltola Bazar, Mullick Bazar and Jogu Babu's Bazar.

H. L. MUKHARJI, for Commissioner, Presidency Division.

CALCUTTA, the 24th July 1922.

Statement of weekly gauge readings on the Rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending the 15th July 1922.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
1922.					
9th July	7 A.M.	21.5	21.5	21.2	Zero is placed at mean sea-level. The bench mark for the gauge is on a pucca pillar between the passenger ghat and Chandpur ghat. Its reduced level is 26.84.
10th "	7 "	21.6	21.6	21.4	
11th "	7 "	21.7	21.7	21.8	
12th "	7 "	21.8	21.8	22.1	
13th "	7 "	21.8	21.8	22.2	
14th "	7 "	21.8	21.8	22.3	
15th "	7 "	21.8	21.8	22.6	

The previous year	...	Highest water-level	...	25.8 on 27th July 1921.
Ditto	...	Lowest	...	4.3 on 19th February and 4th March 1921.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	...	Highest	...	25.75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	...	Ditto	...	25.74 on 20th and 21st August 1893.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	...	Ditto	...	25.66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August 1889 and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Record (H.F. in Brahmaputra only)	...	Ditto	...	25.66 on 31st July 1900.
Do.	...	Lowest	...	1.0 on 8th February 1911.
Do.	...	Ditto	...	2.42 on 13th March 1908.
Do.	...	Ditto	...	2.91 on 21st to 24th February 1884 and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Do.	...	Ditto	...	3.16 on 9th to 11th March 1885.
Do.	...	Ditto	...	3.16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1909.

R. C. GUHA, for Subdivisional Officer.

P. W. D., Faridpur.

RAJBARI, the 16th July 1922.

Statement of weekly gauge readings on the River Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending the 15th July 1922.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above zero.	Height of surface above P. W. D. datum.	Height of surface above P. W. D. datum on the same date last year.	Remarks.
1922.					
9th July	8 A.M.	52.30	52.30	49.40	P. W. D. datum 6.25 ft. above Kidderpore old dock sill. B. M. on College step, 64.93.
10th "	8 "	53.40	53.40	49.20	
11th "	8 "	53.90	53.90	49.00	
12th "	8 "	54.00	54.00	49.00	
13th "	8 "	54.50	54.50	49.15	
14th "	8 "	55.00	55.00	49.50	
15th "	8 "	55.50	55.50	50.00	

	Old value.	According to P. W. D. datum.
The previous year	Highest water-level ... on 7th September 1921	60.80
Ditto	Lowest " ... on 27th and 28th April and 9th May 1922	34.70
Record	Highest " ... 69.25 on 26th August 1879	64.41
Do.	Ditto " ... 69.08 on 9th September 1885	64.27
Do.	Ditto " ... 68.80 on 25th August 1906	63.47
Do.	Ditto " ... 68.21 on 26th August 1890	63.40
Do.	Lowest " ... 37.63 on 26th April 1884	32.82
Do.	Ditto " ... 38.13 on 14th and 15th April 1883	33.52
Do.	Ditto " ... 39.02 on 21st and 22nd April 1897	34.21
Do.	Ditto " ... 39.28 on 6th and 7th May 1908	34.47

N.B.—The gauge readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

JADAB CHANDRA GHOSH, for Subdivisional Officer.

P. W. D., Jangipur.

BOALIA, the 15th July 1922.

**Statement showing the gauge-readings at Dacca Water-works station
on the river Buriganga for the week ending the 15th July 1922.**

Date.	At 7 A.M.	AT HIGHEST WATER.		AT LOWEST WATER.		At 6 P.M.	REMARKS.
		Time.	Readings.	Time.	Readings.		
1922.							
9th July	63.8	...	...	...	...	63.85	No fall.
10th "	63.9	...	...	...	...	63.9	
11th "	63.95	...	...	...	...	64.0	
12th "	64.1	...	...	...	...	64.2	
13th "	64.35	...	...	...	...	64.4	
14th "	64.45	...	...	...	...	64.5	
15th "	64.6	...	...	...	...	64.7	

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

					High.		
27th August	1906	...	...	...	70.5	} Taken at high tide.	
5th September.	1909	...	...	...	67.86		
10th August	1910	...	...	...	69.86		
1st "	1911	...	...	...	68.46		
13th "	1912	...	...	...	67.16		
31st "	1915	...	...	...	69.7		
18th "	1916	...	...	...	68.1		
12th "	1917	...	...	...	67.1		
31st "	1918	...	...	...	69.12		
2nd "	1919	...	...	...	66.8		
8th September	1920	...	...	...	66.9		
28th July	1921	...	...	...	68.4		
					Low.		
23rd February	1907	...	...	...	51.06	} Taken at low tide.	
13th "	1908	...	...	...	51.06		
12th March	1912	...	...	...	51.06		
6th "	1914	...	...	...	50.60		
22nd February	1915	...	...	...	50.30		
15th "	1916	...	...	...	50.60		
3rd March	1917	...	...	...	51.0		
21st February	1918	...	...	...	51.40		
26th "	1919	...	...	...	50.4		
18th "	1920	...	...	...	50.9		
19th "	1921	...	...	...	50.9		

N.B.—Zero of the gauge at Dacca Water-works = -48.51 with reference to P. W. D. datum.

B. N. BAGCHI, for *Executive Engineer*,

Dacca, the 20th July 1922.

Dacca Division.

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.
Approximate return of traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals
for the week ending Saturday, the 15th July 1922, as compared
with the corresponding week of the previous year.

Nature of cargo.	WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 15TH JULY 1922.			WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 15TH JULY 1921.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy ...	196	34,675	517	334	53,988	892
Jute ...	36	33,050*	268	46	33,576†	297
Firewood ...	66	42,325	632	66	31,350	470
Other articles ...	989	351,150	3,249	719	204,589	2,188
Total ...	1,287	461,200	4,666	1,165	323,503	3,847
Empty boats and rafts ...	497	...	1,660	459	...	1,374
GRAND TOTAL ...	1,784	461,200	6,326	1,624	323,503	5,221

Mds.
 * Weight by canal measurement ... 34,450
 † Ditto ditto ... 35,625

T. C. BHATTACHARYA,
Assistant Secretary
to the Government of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, the 20th July 1922.

CORPORATION OF CALCUTTA.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the General Committee at their meeting held on the 23rd February 1922, cancelled and modified the portions of the Corporation alignments of Mati Sil Street and Corporation Street defined under section 350 of Act III (B.C.) of 1899, as affected by the Calcutta Improvement Trust's Alignment No. XL (Mati Sil Street to Chowringhee Place—widening and extension).

The plans may be inspected in the office of the Surveyor and Valuer to the Corporation during office hours.

S. N. MALLIK,
Acting Chairman of the Corporation.

CENTRAL MUNICIPAL OFFICE, the 20th July 1922.



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DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, BENGAL.

Forecast of the Summer *Til* crop of Bengal, 1922-23.

(NOTE.—On an average of the five years ending 1920-21 the area under *til* in Bengal has represented some 4·9 per cent. of the total area under *til* in British India.)

Character of the Season.—The weather at the beginning was generally favourable for preparatory tillage. Subsequently an unusually long drought prevailed from the sowing time up till the ripening period thereby considerably affecting both the area and outturn of the crop. The rainfall in May and in the early part of June, though beneficial, was received too late to retrieve the situation.

Acresage.—The total area sown this year with the crop is reported to be 110,600 acres as against 162,700 acres last year.

Outturn.—From the estimates furnished by the District Officers the average outturn of the crop for the province works out at 59 per cent. of the normal this year against 73 per cent. last year. Taking the normal yield at 6½ maunds per acre, the gross outturn for the province is estimated at 14,700 tons this year against 26,700 tons last year or a decrease of 45 per cent.

Dacca, the 25th July 1922.

G. EVANS,
Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

APPENDIX I.

Forecast of the Summer *Til* crop of Bengal, 1922-23.

District.	Estimated normal area under summer <i>til</i> .	Estimated area under summer <i>til</i> .		Taking 100 to represent the normal, what would be the average outturn per acre cropped.		Date by which sowing generally began this year and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Date by which harvesting generally commenced this year and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
		Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.					
24-Parganas ...	100	100*	100	33	42	December. Early.	Beginning of March. Early.	The weather was not favourable. Damage to the extent of six annas by drought is reported from the Basirhat subdivision. The outturn has fallen below the normal owing to want of timely rain.
Nadia ...	300	100	(30)	67	33	Middle of February. Early.	Middle of May. Early.	The decrease in area is due to absence of timely rain. The weather was not favourable for the crop.
Murshidabad ...	1,000	1,800	1,600	67	58	March to April. Generally normal. The sowings were somewhat late in some places.	June. Normal.	The decrease in area this year is due to continued drought at sowing time. The weather was unfavourable at sowing time, but has subsequently been favourable. Damage to the extent of five annas was done by continued drought.
Jessore ...	3,300	1,500	1,100	92	67	March. Normal.	June and July. Normal.	The decrease in area is due to want of rain at sowing time. The weather has not been favourable. Some damage was done by drought. The fall in outturn is due to want of rain during the period of growth.
Khulna ...	4,400	800	700	92	58	Beginning of March. Late.	First week of June. Normal.	The decrease in area is due to want of rain at the sowing time. The weather has not been favourable. The sowing was late this year owing to drought, which also retarded the growth of the crop and caused much damage. The outturn is below the normal owing to want of timely rain.
Burdwan ...	3,800	2,400	1,900	67	33	Beginning of February to March. Normal.	Beginning of June. Normal.	The decrease in area is due to want of timely rain. The weather has not been favourable. Want of rain has retarded the growth of the crop and caused some damage.
Birbhum ...	400	300	300	58	58	March ...	June ...	The weather has not been favourable. Damage to the extent of 42 per cent. has been caused by drought.
Bankura ...	8,600†	3,700	2,000	83	58	March. Normal.	Middle of June. Normal.	The decrease in area is due to unfavourable weather at sowing time. The weather has not been favourable. Eight damage has been caused by drought. The fall in outturn is due to absence of rain during the growing period.
Midnapore ...	7,500	3,800	5,000	60	60	Ditto ...	June. Normal	The decrease in area as compared with last year is due to unusual drought at the sowing time and during the period of growth. Consequently the growth of the crop was hampered to a large extent, and the outturn has fallen below the normal.
Hooghly ...	1,000	900*	600	100	67	End of February. Normal.	First week of June. Normal.	The decrease in area is due to want of rain at the sowing time. The weather has been unfavourable. Damage to the extent of 33 per cent. is reported from the Arambagh subdivision, the only <i>til</i> growing subdivision of the district.
Howrah ...	(5)†	(37)	(1)	66	33	End of April. Late.	End of June. Late.	The decrease both in area and outturn is due to drought.
Rajshahi ...	10,800	8,600	6,800	83	67	Middle of March. Late.	Middle of June. Normal.	The decrease in area is due to want of rain at the time of sowing. The weather was not favourable for the cultivation and growth of the crop. Damage to the extent of 25 per cent. is reported from Nator subdivision.
Dinajpur ...	200	200*	200*	75	65	Latter part of April. Normal.	Not yet commenced.	Want of timely rain retarded the growth of the crop and has caused the outturn to fall much below the normal.
Rangpur ...	200	200*	200	100	100	March. Normal.	June. Normal	The weather has been favourable and a normal outturn has been obtained.
Bogra ...	3,600	1,400	1,400	75	90	Ditto ...	Ditto ...	The weather has not altogether been unfavourable to the cultivation and growth of the crop. Hence a better outturn is expected this year.
Pabna ...	33,500	21,100	19,200	50	42	Middle of March. Normal.	Middle of June. Normal.	The weather was not favourable at sowing time and the continued drought after sowing retarded the growth of the crop and has caused damage to the extent of about 55 per cent.

* Conventional area.

† Revised.

District.	Estimated normal area under summer <i>til</i> .	Estimated area under summer <i>til</i> .		Taking 100 to represent the normal, what would be the average outturn per acre cropped.		Date by which sowing generally began this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Date by which harvesting generally commenced this year, and whether that date was early, normal or late.	Remarks by District Officers.
		Last year.	This year.	Last year.	This year.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.					
Malda	400*	(5)	(5)	67	33	Latter part of February. Normal.	.....	Owing to unfavourable weather at sowing time, only 5 acres have been cultivated in thana Shibganj.
Dacca	5,900	13,800	12,900	79	67	Ditto ...	Middle of June. Normal.	The weather was unfavourable owing to prolonged drought, which damaged the crop to a great extent.
Mymensingh ...	112,800	72,900	33,400	75	60	Middle of March. Normal.	Ditto ...	The decrease in area is due to want of rain at sowing time. The weather was not favourable owing to drought, which caused much damage.
Faridpur	11,200	12,000	7,900	95	49	January. Normal.	June. Normal.	The decrease in area is due to want of rain during the sowing time. The weather was unfavourable owing to continued drought, which has caused much damage.
Bakarganj ...	7,500	6,500	6,600	67	88	Ditto ...	Middle of April. Normal.	The increase in area was due to favourable weather at sowing time and to high price of oil. The long spell of drought during the season retarded the growth of the crop to some extent. The outturn is below the normal.
Chittagong ...	200	200*	200	100	92	February and March. Normal.	June. Normal.	The weather was not quite favourable. Want of timely rain retarded the growth of the crop.
Tippera	9,200	9,100	8,600	67	67	March. Normal.	Ditto ...	The decrease in area is due to want of rain. The weather has been unfavourable owing to drought, which caused much damage.
Noakhali	500	500	500	100	67	February. Normal.	Ditto ...	The weather has not been favourable. Continued drought caused a considerable damage to the crop. Hence the outturn is below the normal.
Total Bengal ...	220,900	162,700	110,600	73	59			

* Conventional area.

APPENDIX II.

Abstract statement of estimated acreage and outturn of the Summer *til* crop of Bengal, 1922-23.

Province.	AREA (IN ACRES).						YIELD (IN TONS).							
	Of current year's crop.	Of previous year's crop.	Average of preceding		PERCENTAGE BY WHICH COLUMN 2 EXCEEDS (+), OR IS LESS THAN (-), AREA IN		Estimated yield of current year, i.e., of area in column 2.	Yield of previous year, i.e., of area in column 3.	Average of preceding		PERCENTAGE BY WHICH COLUMN 7 EXCEEDS (+), OR IS LESS THAN (-), YIELD IN			
					Column 3.	Column 4.					Column 8.	Column 9.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11				
			Five years.	Ten years.	Five years.	Ten years.		Five years.	Ten years.	Five years.	Ten years.			
Bengal	110,800	162,700	166,800	179,800	-32	-34	-39	14,700	26,700	22,100	22,900	-45	-33	-36

**APPOINTMENT OF A COMMITTEE TO ENQUIRE INTO AND
TO REPORT UPON THE QUESTION OF PROVIDING A
WATER-SUPPLY FOR THE MUNICIPALITIES ON THE
WEST BANK OF THE HOOGLHY.**

GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL.

LOCAL SELF-GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT.

Public Health.

CALCUTTA, THE 25TH JULY 1922.

RESOLUTION—No. 2102P.H.

THE Government of Bengal (Ministry of Local Self-Government) are pleased to appoint the following Committee to enquire into and to report upon the question of providing a water-supply for the municipalities on the west bank of the Hooghly. The report should be submitted to Government by 1st December 1922 :—

Members :

- The Chief Engineer, Public Health Department.
Babu Nirmal Chandra Ghosh, Chairman, Baidyabati Municipality.
„ Krishna Chandra Datta, Vice-Chairman, Kotrung Municipality.
„ Sasankha Sekhar Banerjee, Chairman, Bally Municipality.
„ Hari Charan Chatterjee, Commissioner of the Rishra-Konnagar Municipality.
„ Charu Chandra Sinha, Chairman, Howrah Municipality.
„ Barada Prosad De, Chairman, Serampore Municipality.
„ Kumood Bandhob Mookerjee, Chairman, Champdany Municipality.
„ Bishnu Charan Mukherjee, Vice-Chairman, Bansberia Municipality.
„ Jotindra Nath Banerjee, Vice-Chairman, Bhadreswar Municipality.

Secretary :

Capt. A. Webster, Executive Engineer, Public Health Department.

By order of the Government of Bengal,

(Ministry of Local Self-Government),

S. W. GOODE,

Secretary to the Government of Bengal (offg.).

DISTRICT REPORTS ON WEATHER AND CROPS

For the week ending on the 26th July 1922.

Summary.—The rainfall was generally light in the West Bengal districts, elsewhere the fall was moderate. Field operations are proceeding satisfactorily. Some damage has been caused to the low land crops by the rise of rivers in parts of Eastern Bengal; prospects otherwise are generally fair. The average price of common rice for the province has fallen by about 1·09 per cent. as compared with that of the previous week.

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
1	24-PARGANAS	2·34	5	5	The effects of weather on the growth of jute and other crops are good. Weeding of jute and <i>aus</i> paddy and transplantation of <i>aman</i> paddy continue. Prospects of jute are favourable. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Barasat subdivision.
	Diamond Harbour.	2·81	5½	5½ ⁹ / ₁₆	
	Barrackpore	1·55	5¼	5¼	
	Barasat ...	1·55	5	5	
	Basirhat ...	2·22	6½	6½ ³ / ₈	
2	NADIA ...	3·29	6	5½	Weeding of <i>aus</i> paddy and jute and transplantation of <i>aman</i> paddy continue. Some damage has been done to jute and <i>aus</i> paddy by rain in Ranaghat and Kushtia subdivisions. Cattle-disease is reported from Kushtia and Santipur thanas.
	Kushtia ...	1·32	7	6½	
	Meherpur ...	1·94	6½	(n)	
	Chuadanga ...	0·61	6¼	6¼	
	Ranaghat ...	2·24	5½	5½	
3	MURSHIDABAD	1·79	6¼	6	Prospects of standing crops are fair. Transplantation of <i>aman</i> paddy continues. Condition and prospects of jute are fair. The effects of weather on jute are not favourable. Heavy rain is causing damage. Fodder is sufficient. No large import or export.
	Lalbagh ...	0·68	6	6	
	Jangipur ...	1·15	6	6	
	Kandi ...	3·14	6½	6¼	
4	JESSORE ...	4·83	7½	7	Condition and prospects of jute are not favourable. The weather is now favourable though the growth is being retarded by excessive rainfall. Harvesting has not yet commenced. Weeding of jute and <i>aus</i> paddy and transplantation of <i>aman</i> paddy continue. Export of paddy continues to be reported from Bongaon and Jhenidah subdivisions. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease is reported from Bongaon.
	Jhenidah ...	1·92	5½	5½	
	Magura ...	3·34	6	6	
	Narail ...	2·60	6¼	6½	
	Bongaon ...	1·30	6½	6¼	
5	KHULNA ...	1·90	6½	6½	Weather hot with occasional showers. Condition and prospects of jute and other standing crops are good. The effects of weather on the growth of jute are good; no damage is reported. Weeding till continues. Ploughing of lands and transplanting of winter rice continue. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Satkhirā ...	3·15	6	6	
	Bagerhat ...	0·93	6½	6½	

(n) Not reported.

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
6	BURDWAN ...	5.47	6	6	Weather hot and rainy. Transplantation and weeding of <i>aman</i> paddy continue. Prospects of <i>aman</i> paddy and sugarcane are very good and those of <i>aus</i> paddy and jute are moderately good.
	Asansol ...	2.24	5½	5½	
	Katwa ...	2.10	6½	6½	
	Kalna ...	2.11	5½	5½	
7	BIRBHUM ...	1.98	5½	5½	Transplantation of paddy is going on. Condition of sugarcane is fair. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Rampurhat...	2.15	7	6	
8	BANKURA ...	3.53	6¼	6	Weather seasonable. Transplantation of winter rice is going on. Export of rice and paddy continues. Cattle-disease is reported from Gangajalghati and Mejia.
	Vishnupur...	1.76	6½	6½	
9	MIDNAPORE	4.67	6½	6½	Prospects of jute are favourable; no damage is reported. Transplantation of winter paddy is progressing. Fodder is sufficient.
	Jhargram ...	0.49	6	(n)	
	Ghatal ...	0.64	6½	6½	
	Tamluk ...	2.97	5½ ³ / ₁₆	5½ ³ / ₁₆	
	Contai ...	(n)	(n)	6	
10	HOOGHLY ...	1.31	5	5	Effects of weather are favourable. Condition and prospects of jute are unsatisfactory; no further damage is reported. Harvesting has not yet commenced. Cattle-disease is prevalent in Pandua thana. Fodder is sufficient.
	Serampore ...	1.88	5½	5¼	
	Arambagh ...	0.28	6½	6½	
11	HOWRAH ...	2.81	5½	5½	Transplantation of paddy continues. Prospects of jute are moderate. Cattle-disease is reported from village Santoshpur.
	Uluberia ...	2.18	6	6½	
12	RAJSHAHI (RAMPUR- BOALIA).	2.98	6	6	Jute crop has been damaged by heavy rain, insects and flood in some places. Harvesting of jute continues. Prospects of jute and other standing crops are fair. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Naogaon ...	2.23	5¼	5½	
	Nator ...	3.43	5½	5¼	
13	DINAJPUR ...	1.54	7 ³ / ₁₆	7 ³ / ₁₆	Weather seasonable. Prospects of <i>bhadoi</i> paddy and jute are not favourable; there has been no damage to jute by heavy rain. Harvesting of jute has not yet commenced. Transplanting of winter paddy is going on. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Thakurgaon	4.51	8	8	
	Balurghat ...	5.72	7	7	
14	JALPAIGURI	4.93	6	6	Condition and prospects of <i>bhadoi</i> paddy and jute are fair. Weather is favourable for their growth. There has been no damage. Harvesting has commenced in some parts of the district.
	Alipur ...	3.05	6	6	

(n) Not reported.

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			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
15	DARJEELING	8.10	5½	5	Maize is being harvested. <i>Marua</i> and paddy seedlings are being transplanted. Effects of weather on jute and the condition of the crop are good. Fodder and water are sufficient. Cattle-disease exists in places.
	Kurseong ...	11.51	6	6	
	Siliguri ...	5.23	6	6	
	Kalimpong...	6.02	6	6	
16	RANGPUR ...	2.59	7	7	Harvesting of <i>aus</i> paddy and jute continues and their condition is good. The standing crops have been damaged on <i>char</i> lands in Kurigram owing to rise of water. Cattle-disease is reported from thana Gaibanda. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Nilphamari	1.36	7	7	
	Kurigram ...	4.59	6½	6½	
	Gaibandha...	8.21	6½	6½	
17	BOGRA ...	6.10	6½	6½	Harvesting of jute and <i>aus</i> paddy and the transplantation of winter paddy seedlings continue. Steeping of jute has commenced and its prospects and condition are fair.
18	PABNA ...	1.32	5½	5½	Weather partially rainy and cloudy. Jute and <i>aus</i> paddy on low lands have been damaged to some extent by the rise of rivers. The damage of jute by insect-pests has been reported from Sirajganj. Agricultural stock is sufficient. Pasturage, fodder and water supplies are sufficient.
	Sirajganj ...	2.11	6	6	
19	MALDA ...	2.47	6½	6	Transplantation of winter paddy is progressing. Prospects of <i>bhadoi</i> crops are fair. Some damage has been done to jute and other <i>bhadoi</i> crops by heavy rain and flood.
20	COOCH BEHAR	3.38	7 ⁹ / ₁₆	7 ⁹ / ₁₆	Weather seasonable. Cultivation of lands for winter paddy and its transplantation are in progress. Harvesting of <i>litri</i> paddy and cutting and steeping of jute continue. Prospects of jute and other standing crops are favourable. Fodder is sufficient.
21	DACCA ...	1.95	5½	5½	Weather seasonable. Rain is favourable to the growth of jute and paddy in high lands. Steeping of jute and harvesting of sugarcane is in full swing. Transplantation of winter paddy is going on. Rice market shows a downward tendency.
	Manikganj...	1.22	6	6	
	Narayanganj	1.81	6½	6	
	Munshiganj (a)	4.00	(n)	5½	
22	MYMENSINGH	6.51	6½	6½	Weather seasonable. Transplanting of winter paddy and harvesting of <i>autumn</i> paddy continue. Prospects of standing crops are satisfactory except in Tangail. Condition and prospects of jute are satisfactory except on low lands and the effects of weather on the crop are favourable. Some damage has been done to jute by flood in Tangail. Harvesting is progressing satisfactorily. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Jamalpur ...	6.39	6½	6½	
	Tangail ...	(n)	6	6	
	Netrakona ...	8.19	6½	6½	
	Kishorganj...	3.70	6	6½	

(a) Munshiganj being very near to Dacca and Narayanganj, its rainfall statistics are not quoted. To give information regarding the northern part of the district, rainfall figures for Kapasia thana are reported here.

(n) Not reported.

Serial No.	District and subdivision.	Rainfall.	PRICE OF COMMON RICE, IN SEERS, PER RUPEE.		Character of the weather, condition of crops, etc.
			This week.	Previous week.	
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Inches.			
23	FARIDPUR ...	3.01	{ 5½ 5½ }	{ 5½ 6½ }	Rainfall has proved beneficial to the standing crops. Harvesting of jute and autumn paddy continues. Prospects of <i>aman</i> paddy and other standing crops are favourable excepting that of jute and <i>aus</i> paddy which are not favourable in some places. <i>Aus</i> paddy has been damaged by high water and jute slightly damaged by insect-pests in Pangsa thana. Fodder is sufficient.
	Goalundo (Rajbari).	2.50	5½	5½	
	Madaripur ...	2.67	5½	5½	
	Gopalganj (a)	1.29	6	6	
24	BAKARGANJ (BARISAL).	5.78	6	5½	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Rise of rivers has caused some damage to jute. Harvesting of jute has commenced. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Pirojpur ...	1.42	5½	5½	
	Patuakhali...	6.41	5½	5½	
	Dakshin Shabazpur (Bhola).	5.08	5½	5½	
25	CHITTAGONG	4.40	{ 5 6 }	{ 5 6 }	Transplantation of <i>aman</i> and <i>aus</i> crops is in progress. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Fodder is sufficient. Sporadic cases of cattle-disease is reported. <i>Panga</i> salt is selling at 13 and 10 seers per rupee at Sadar and Cox's Bazar, respectively.
	Cox's Bazar	8.64	6	6	
26	TIPPERA (COMILLA).	4.78	5½	5½	Harvesting of jute and <i>aus</i> paddy is going to some extent in the district. Condition and prospects of jute are satisfactory and weather condition is favourable. Cattle-disease is reported from Brahmanbaria subdivision.
	Brahmanbaria.	3.63	5½	5½	
	Chandpur ...	2.62	6½	6½	
27	NOAKHALI ...	4.70	6	5½	Weather stormy. Prospects of <i>aus</i> paddy are good but continuous heavy downpour of rain has caused slight damage. Prospects and condition of jute are good and its harvesting has commenced. Fodder and water are sufficient.
	Feni ...	6.30	6½	5½	
28	CHITTAGONG HILL TRACTS.	2.80	5½	5	Prospects of standing crops are favourable. Fodder and water are sufficient.
29	TRIPURA STATE.	3.51	5½	5	Weather seasonable. Prospects of standing crops are fair. Cleaned cotton is selling at Rs. 20 to Rs. 35 per maund. Fodder and water are sufficient. Condition of cattle is good.

* Burna rice.

(a) The rainfall at Haridaspur, which is very near to Gopalganj, is shown here.

J. GHOSH,
for Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

DACCA, the 29th July 1922.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned marts of Bengal for the first half of July 1922.

Marts.	PADDY, LOCAL (BEST QUALITY).			PADDY, LOCAL (COMMON QUALITY).			RICE, LOCAL (BEST QUALITY).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	4 12 0	4 12 0	3 12 0	4 6 0	4 6 0	3 0 0	9 8 0	9 8 0	9 8 0
Burdwan ...	4 0 0	(n)	4 8 0	3 14 0	3 13 0	4 4 0	8 0 0	9 0 0	10 0 0
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	3 10 0	3 10 0	4 2 0	3 3 0	3 3 0	3 15 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0
Chittagong ...	4 8 0	4 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	3 8 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	7 8 0
Dacca ...	4 0 0	4 0 0	4 0 0	3 8 0	3 10 0	3 10 0	7 8 0	8 8 0	7 4 0
Pabna ...	3 14 0	3 14 0	4 0 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 12 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	7 12 0
Rangpur ...	3 12 0	3 12 0	3 8 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	3 0 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	8 0 0
Serajganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sarisabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Marts.	RICE, LOCAL (COMMON QUALITY).			WHEAT.			KALAI DAL.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	8 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	5 8 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0
Burdwan ...	7 0 0	6 14 0	7 12 0	7 8 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	10 0 0	7 8 0	8 0 0
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	6 4 0	6 4 0	7 8 0	(n)	(n)	8 0 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	7 8 0
Chittagong ...	6 8 0	6 12 0	8 8 0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	6 4 0	6 8 0	5 8 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	7 0 0	5 0 0	5 0 0	6 8 0
Pabna ...	6 12 0	6 12 0	7 0 0	6 8 0	6 8 0	5 2 0	.....	7 4 0	.....
Rangpur ...	5 12 0	5 12 0	7 2 0	7 8 0	7 8 0	6 12 0	.....	.....	.....
Serajganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sarisabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

(n) Not reported.

**Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the undermentioned
ports of Bengal for the first-half of July 1922.**

Ports.	GRAM.			ARHAR DAL.			LINSEED.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	5 12 0	5 12 0	5 0 0	8 8 0	8 8 0	8 0 0	11 0 0	11 0 0	12 0 0
Burdwan ...	6 0 0	6 0 0	6 0 0	10 0 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	(n)	11 0 0	10 8 0
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	7 0 0	7 6 0	7 0 0	10 8 0	10 8 0	{ 9 8 0 to 10 8 0 }	8 12 0	8 12 0	9 0 0
Chittagong ...	6 12 0	6 8 0	7 8 0	9 8 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	12 0 0	10 0 0	12 0 0
Dacca ...	7 8 0	7 8 0	9 0 0	10 0 0	10 0 0	9 4 0	7 12 0	8 0 0	9 8 0
Pabna ...	.....	6 0 0	.....	11 0 0	12 0 0	11 0 0	8 12 0	8 12 0	8 4 0
Rangpur ...	7 0 0	7 0 0	.....	9 0 0	9 0 0	9 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Seraiganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sarisabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Ports.	MUSTARD.			GUR.			COTTON (UNGINNED).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta ...	10 0 0	10 0 0	11 1 0	8 0 0	8 0 0	10 0 0	No transaction		26 0 0
Burdwan ...	9 0 0	{ 8 12 0 to 10 4 0 }	8 8 0	{ 7 8 0 to 10 0 0 }	{ 7 0 0 to 10 0 0 }	9 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore ...	{ 10 12 0 to 12 0 0 }	{ 10 12 0 to 12 0 0 }	{ 10 4 0 to 11 8 0 }	10 8 0	10 8 0	{ 11 0 0 to 12 0 0 }	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong ...	10 0 0	9 0 0	8 4 0	10 8 0	10 8 0	11 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Dacca ...	9 0 0	9 0 0	8 8 0	12 0 0	12 0 0	13 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Pabna ...	9 0 0	9 0 0	8 4 0	6 4 0	6 4 0	8 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur ...	8 0 0	8 0 0	7 12 0	7 8 0	7 0 0	8 0 0	.....	.....	.....
Seraiganj (Pabna).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sarisabari (Mymensingh).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanganj (Dacca).	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

(n) Not reported.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the under-mentioned marts of Bengal for the first-half of July 1922.

Marts	JUTE.			GHEE.			HIDE (COW).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	(1) 17 0 0 (2) 15 0 0 (3) 11 3 0	(1) 17 0 0 (2) 14 0 0 (3) 12 2 0	(1) 12 8 0 (2) 11 8 0 (3) 7 12 0	90 0 0	88 0 0	75 0 0	(n)	295 0 0	500 0 0
Burdwan	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Raniganj	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Midnapore	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Chittagong	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Dacca	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pabna	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rangpur	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Serajganj (Pabna).	13 0 0	{ 9 0 0 to 11 0 0 }	{ 4 0 0 to 5 8 0 }	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sarishabari (Mymensingh).	(n)	(n)	{ 3 0 0 to 10 0 0 }	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Narayanaganj (Dacca).	{ 12 0 0 to 15 0 0 }	{ 10 0 0 to 14 0 0 }	{ 5 12 0 to 7 13 0 }	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

(1) " Price of lat fours."
(2) " Price of district fours."
(3) " Weighted average price."

(n) Not reported.

Marts.	IRON.			SALT.			KEROSENE OIL.		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	47	48	49	50	51	52	53	54	55
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
Calcutta	(n)	(n)	10 0 0	244 0 0	234 0 0 (a)	3 8 0	Swan* 5 14 0 Rising sun. 7 15 0	Swan 5 14 0 Rising sun 7 15 0	(d) 4 0 0
Burdwan
Rangpur
Midnapore
Chittagong
Dacca
Pabna
Raniganj
Serajganj (Pabna.)
Sarishabari (Mymensingh)
Narayanaganj (Dacca).

(a) Per 100 maunds. (d) Elephant. * Per 2 tins. (n) Not reported.

Wholesale prices-current of food-grains, salt, etc., in the under-mentioned marts of Bengal for the first-half of July 1922.

Marts.	MUSTARD OIL.			FIREWOOD.			COAL (BENAL).		
	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
	56	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64
	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.	RS. A. P.
Calcutta	24 8 0	25 0 0	25 0 0	0 9 6	(n)	0 14 0	(n)	(n)	1 4 0
Burdwan	0 5 6	0 4 6	0 6 0
Raniganj
Midnapore
Chittagong
Dacca
Pabna
Rangpur
Serajganj (Pabna).
Sariatbari (Mymensingh).
Narayanganj (Dacca).

(n) Not reported.

J. GHOSH, for *Director of Agriculture, Bengal.*

Dacca, the 27th July 1922.

Prices-current (retail) of food-grains, salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the first-half of July 1922.

		QUANTITY PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF EIGHTY TOLAS.															
		COMMON RICE.						KALAI DAL (<i>Phaseolus radiatus</i>).			ARHAR (DAL) OR THUR CADJAN PEA (<i>Cajanus indicus</i>).			SALT.			
		Average.			Cheapest.												
DISTRICTS AND MARKS.		Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	
Division.	Number.																
PRESIDENCY.	24-PARGANAS.		S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	
	1	Oheta H&T ...	5 0	5 0	4 9	6 4	6 8	6 0	4 8	4 8	5 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	10 0	10 0	11 0
	2	Maqra H&T ...	5 2	5 2	5 3	6 2	5 11	5 8	(a)	(a)	(a)	4 3	4 1	4 4	13 0	10 0	11 8
	3	Calcutta-Bellaghata ...	4 11	4 11	4 14	7 0	7 0	7 6	6 2	6 2	6 2	4 7	4 7	4 11	10 0	10 0	10 0
	NADIA.																
	4	Goari ...	6 4	6 13	5 14	6 8	7 1	6 15	4 9	4 11	4 8	4 0	4 0	5 0	10 11	10 11	13 4*
	5	Ranashat ...	5 8	5 4	6 0	5 12	5 12	6 8	4 8	4 8	5 4	4 0	4 8	4 8	10 8	10 8	10 8*
	MURSHIDABAD.																
	6	B&hampore ...	6 0	6 0	5 4	7 8	6 8	5 8	6 0	5 5	5 8	6 0	5 5	5 8	13 0	12 0	14 0*
	7	Kandi ...	6 12	6 8	6 0	7 0	6 12	6 2	5 8	5 12	6 0	5 0	5 8	5 0	11 0	12 0	13 0
	8	Jangipur ...	6 0	6 0	5 4	6 4	6 2	5 12	4 4	4 4	5 0	5 0	5 0	4 8	13 0	13 0	14 8
	JESSORE.																
	9	Sadar ...	6 8	6 0	7 2	7 9	6 12	7 4	3 4	3 4	3 4	4 0	3 4	4 0	10 1	11 0	11 4*
	10	Bangaon ...	6 0	5 8	5 5	7 0	6 8	6 10	4 0	3 4	4 9	3 3	4 0	4 0	10 10	9 0	11 10*
KHULNA.																	
11	Sadar ...	6 8	6 8	6 6	7 8	7 8	6 12	5 0	5 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	3 12	8 0	8 0	10 8	
12	Bagerhat ...	6 8	6 8	6 12	7 8	8 0	7 0	5 8	5 8	5 0	3 8	3 8	3 8	8 0	8 0	10 0	
BURDWAN.																	
13	Sadar ...	6 0	5 13	5 0	6 8	6 4	5 12	3 14	5 0	5 0	3 14	4 4	5 0	12 8*	14 0	12 0	
14	Kalna ...	5 5	5 5	5 2	6 0	5 13	5 4	5 5	5 8	5 10	4 0	4 3	4 0	10 0	14 8	10 8	
BIRBHUM.																	
15	Suri ...	6 0	6 0	5 10	6 4	6 4	5 10	5 4	5 6	4 8	4 0	4 0	4 0	10 8	10 8	13 0*	
16	Rampur H&T ...	6 0	6 0	5 8	6 4	6 4	6 0	5 0	5 0	4 8	4 8	4 0	4 0	11 0	11 0	10 0	
BANKURA.																	
17	Sadar ...	6 0	6 0	5 8	6 12	6 12	5 14	6 4	6 4	5 8	4 0	4 0	4 0	11 0	11 0	11 0	
18	Vishnupur ...	5 4	5 5	5 0	5 8	6 4	5 5	5 0	4 0	5 0	4 4	4 0	4 4	10 8	10 0	11 0	
MIDNAPORE.																	
19	Sadar ...	6 14	6 8	5 6	7 3	6 14	5 11	4 4	4 0	5 0	3 8	3 8	3 12	10 8	8 0	9 0	
20	Contal ...	7 0	7 0	5 4	7 8	7 8	5 12	4 8	4 8	3 8	4 0	4 0	3 8	10 0	8 0*	9 0	
HOOGHLY.																	
21	Sadar ...	5 0	5 0	5 0	5 8	6 0	5 6	4 12	5 6	5 0	4 12	4 0	4 0	10 0	12 0	11 8	
22	Arambagh ...	6 8	6 4	5 11	7 0	6 8	5 14	4 0	4 0	7 6	3 6	3 4	3 8	9 0	6 10	10 8	
HOWRAH.																	
23	Sadar ...	5 4	5 8	5 0	6 4	6 8	5 14	5 8	5 8	5 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	10 0	10 0	12 8	
24	Uluberia ...	5 4	5 8	5 2	6 0	6 4	5 8	5 4	5 6	5 10	4 0	4 0	4 3	12 2	10 10	11 13	
RAJSHAHI.																	
RAJSHAHI.	25	Rampur-Boalla ...	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 12	6 12	6 12	6 0	6 0	6 12	4 14	4 14	4 14	9 12	9 12	14 0*
	26	Nator ...	5 8	5 8	5 7	6 6	6 6	6 3	5 4	5 4	6 0	4 0	4 0	6 0	8 0	9 12	9 12
	27	Dinajpur-Railway Bazar H&T.	6 14	6 14	5 1	7 3	7 3	5 6	4 12	4 12	4 13	3 9	3 9	4 13	10 0	9 0	9 8
	28	Jaipalguri-Sadar ...	6 8	7 0	4 8	7 0	7 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8	4 0	4 0	4 8	9 0	9 0	10 0

* Karkuch.

(n) Not reported.

(a) Not available.

Prices-current (retail) of food-grains, salt, etc., in the districts of Bengal for the first-half of July 1922.

Division.	Number.	DISTRICTS AND MARKS.	QUANTITY PER RUPEE IN SEERS OF EIGHTY TOLAS.														
			COMMON RICE.						KALAI DAL (<i>Phaseolus radiatus</i>).			ARHAR (DAL) OR THUR OADJAN PEA (<i>Cajanus indicus</i>).			SALT.		
			Average.			Cheapest.			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.
			Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.	Present return.	Next preceding return.	Corresponding return of last year.									
			S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.	S. Ch.
RAJSHAHY—Sadd.	29	DANJELING. Sadar ...	5 12	5 12	4 4	6 8	6 8	5 4	3 4	3 4	3 12	2 12	2 12	3 8	6 8	6 2	7 0
	30	SHIGURI ...	5 0	5 0	4 8	7 0	7 0	4 8	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	8 0	8 0	8 0
		RANGPUR.															
	31	Sadar ...	7 0	7 0	5 0	8 0	8 0	5 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	4 8	8 0	8 0	8 0
	32	Nilphamari ...	7 4	8 0	6 0	(a)	(a)	6 4	4 0	4 0	4 8	4 0	4 0	4 8	10 0*	10 0	11 0
	33	Bogra—Sadar ...	6 12	6 14	5 13	7 2	7 4	6 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	10 0*	8 8	9 12
		PAUNA.															
	34	Sadar ...	5 12	5 12	5 12	6 2	6 2	6 0	5 8	5 8	5 8	3 8	3 8	3 8	6 8	11 0	11 4
	35	Sirajganj ...	6 0	6 0	5 12	6 8	6 8	6 4	6 0	6 0	5 12	3 7	3 12	4 8	9 9	10 11	9 0
		MALDA.															
DACCA.	36	Sadar ...	6 0	6 0	5 8	6 4	6 4	5 8	5 8	6 0	6 0	5 0	5 0	5 0	8 0	8 0	12 0
	37	Balla—Nawabganj ...	6 4	6 4	5 12	6 8	6 8	6 6	5 8	7 0	7 0	5 0	5 8	5 8	10 0*	9 0	13 0
		DACCA.															
	38	Sadar ...	6 4	6 0	5 12	6 8	7 0	7 8	8 0	8 0	9 8	4 0	4 0	4 0	10 0	10 0	10 0
	39	Munshir Hat ...	5 10	5 12	6 4	6 4	6 4	7 0	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(a)	13 0	13 0	10 0
		MYMENSINGH.															
	40	Nasirabad ...	6 10	6 6	5 8	7 0	6 12	6 2	2 15	2 10	4 0	4 12	4 8	4 0	12 4	12 4	9 0
	41	Netrakona ...	6 4	6 3	6 10	6 10	6 8	6 12	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	4 0	11 4	11 4	9 0
		FARIDPUR.															
	42	Sadar ...	5 8	5 8	6 8	6 4	6 0	6 12	6 8	7 0	5 8	3 4	3 4	3 8	9 0*	13 0	11 0
CHITTAGONG.	43	Rajbari ...	5 14	5 14	5 12	6 4	6 4	6 4	5 4	5 4	6 0	4 0	4 0	3 12	10 0	10 10	11 6
		BAKARGANJ.															
	44	Barisal ...	5 7	5 3	6 5	5 15	6 0	6 10	5 5	6 6	10 0	3 4	4 0	3 10	8 0	9 11	10 11
	45	Pirojpur ...	5 8	5 8	5 12	6 0	6 0	6 0	6 0	5 4	5 8	(a)	(a)	(a)	9 0	7 8	10 0*
		TIPPERA.															
	46	Comilla ...	5 8	5 5	6 2	6 0	5 12	6 12	(a)	(a)	5 0	4 0	3 9	4 0	10 0*	10 8	8 0
	47	Chandpur ...	5 8	5 0	6 6	5 12	5 8	8 0	5 0	5 8	5 4	4 0	4 0	3 12	12 0	10 8	13 0
		NOAKHALL.															
	48	Kalitara Hat ...	5 4	5 4	6 0	5 8	5 12	6 8	7 0	7 0	9 0	3 0	3 0	3 8	10 8	8 0	
	49	Fauj Hat ...	5 15	5 15	6 0	6 9	6 9	6 8	3 4	3 4	4 0	(e)	(e)	...	13 0	10 1	9 0
CHITTAGONG.		CHITTAGONG.															
	50	Sadar ...	5 0	5 14	6 4	6 0	6 0	6 12	4 8	5 0	6 4	3 12	4 0	4 0	13 0	13 0	14 0
	51	Cox's Bazar ...	5 0	6 0	6 8	(a)	(a)	...	4 0	4 0	3 8	3 8	3 8	3 8	10 0	9 0	9 8
	52	Chittagong Hill Tracts—Bangamati.	5 8	5 0	5 0	6 0	5 4	5 8	3 0	3 0	3 0	2 0	3 0	3 0	10 8	10 0	10 0

(a) Not available.

(e) No sale.

(e) Not reported.

*Karkach.

J. GHOSH, for Director of Agriculture, Bengal.

DACCA, the 27th July 1922.

Statement of weekly gauge-readings on the river Ganges at Rampur-Boalia for the week ending the 22nd July 1922.

Date.	Hour.	Height of surface above zero.	Height of surface above P. W. D. datum.	Height of surface above P. W. D. datum on the same date last year.	Remarks.
1922.					
16th July	8 A.M.	55.90	55.90	50.50	P. W. D. datum 6.25 feet above Kidderpore old dock sill.
17th "	8 "	55.80	55.80	51.00	
18th "	8 "	55.60	55.60	51.60	
19th "	8 "	55.50	55.50	52.20	B. M. on College step 64.93
20th "	8 "	55.60	55.60	52.80	
21st "	8 "	56.20	56.20	53.20	
22nd "	8 "	57.10	57.10	53.85	

		Old value.	According to P. W. D. datum.
The previous year	Highest water-level	on 7th September 1921	60.80
Ditto	Lowest	on 27th April 1922	34.70
Record	Highest	on 28th April 1922	64.44
Do.	Ditto	on 9th May 1922	64.27
Do.	Ditto	69.25 on 26th August 1879	63.47
Do.	Ditto	69.08 on 9th September 1885	63.40
Do.	Ditto	68.30 on 25th August 1906	32.82
Do.	Ditto	68.21 on 26th August 1890	33.32
Do.	Lowest	37.63 on 25th April 1884	34.21
Do.	Ditto	38.13 on 14th and 15th April 1883	34.17
Do.	Ditto	39.02 on 21st and 22nd April 1897	
Do.	Ditto	39.28 on 6th and 7th May 1908	

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from the 1st August 1887.

JADAB CH. GHOSH, for *Subdivisional Officer*,
 BOALIA, the 22nd July 1922. P. W. D., Jangipore.

Statement of weekly gauge readings on the rivers Ganges and Brahmaputra at Goalundo for the week ending the 22nd July 1922.

Month and date.	Hour.	Height of surface above or below zero of gauge.	Height of surface above mean sea-level.	Height of surface above mean sea-level on same date last year.	Remarks.
1922.					
16th July	7 A.M.	21.8	21.8	22.7	Zero is placed at mean sea-level.
17th "	7 "	21.8	21.8	22.8	
18th "	7 "	21.7	21.7	23.0	The bench-mark for the gauge is on a pucca pillar between the passenger ghat and Chandpur ghat.
19th "	7 "	21.7	21.7	23.2	
20th "	7 "	21.9	21.9	23.5	
21st "	7 "	22.1	22.1	23.9	
22nd "	7 "	22.5	22.5	24.2	Its reduced level is 26.84.

The previous year	Highest water-level	25.8 on 27th July 1921.
Ditto	Lowest	4.3 on 19th February and 4th March 1921.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	Highest	25.75 on 28th August 1906.
Record (average flood in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	Ditto	25.74 on 20th and 21st August 1893.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra and Ganges)	Ditto	25.66 on 11th to 17th and 31st August and on 1st to 3rd September 1889.
Record (H. F. in Brahmaputra only)	Ditto	25.66 on 31st July 1900.
Do.	Lowest	1.0 on 8th February 1914.
Do.	Ditto	2.42 on 18th March 1908.
Do.	Ditto	2.91 on 21st to 24th February and 8th to 9th March 1884.
Do.	Ditto	3.16 on 9th to 11th March 1885.
Do.	Ditto	3.16 on 16th, 17th and 29th to 31st March 1901.

N.B.—The gauge-readings commenced from 3rd October 1899.

R. C. GUHA, for *Subdivisional Officer*,
 RAJBARI, the 23rd July 1922. P. W. D., Faridpur.

Statement showing the gauge-readings at Dacca Water-works station on the river Buriganga for the week ending the 22nd July 1922.

Date.	At 7 A.M.	AT HIGHEST WATER.		AT LOWEST WATER.		At 6 P.M.	REMARKS.
		Time.	Readings.	Time.	Readings.		
1922.							
16th July	64.7	...	...	...	...	64.7	
17th "	64.6	...	...	...	...	64.5	
18th "	64.5	...	...	...	...	64.4	
19th "	64.4	...	...	...	...	64.45	
20th "	64.5	...	...	...	...	64.5	
21st "	64.6	...	...	...	...	64.6	
22nd "	64.7	...	...	...	...	64.8	

Notable high and low water-levels of previous years.

				High.	
Date.	Year.	Time.	Readings.		
27th August	1906	70.5	} Taken at high tide.
5th September	1909	...	...	67.86
10th August	1910	...	...	69.86
1st "	1911	...	...	68.46
13th "	1912	...	...	67.16
31st "	1915	...	...	69.7
18th "	1916	...	...	68.1
12th "	1917	...	...	67.1
31st "	1918	...	...	69.12
2nd "	1919	...	...	66.8
8th September	1920	...	...	66.9
28th July	1921	...	...	68.4
				Low.	} Taken at low tide.
23rd February	1907	...	...	51.06
13th "	1908	...	...	51.06
12th March	1912	...	...	51.06
6th "	1914	...	...	50.60
22nd February	1915	...	...	50.30
15th "	1916	...	...	50.60
3rd March	1917	...	...	51.0
21st February	1918	...	...	51.40
26th "	1919	...	...	50.4
18th "	1920	...	...	50.9
19th "	1921	...	...	50.9

N.B.—Zero of the gauge at Dacca Water-works = - 48.51 with reference to P. W. D. datum.

B. N. BAGCHI, for *Executive Engineer*,
Dacca, the 26th July 1922. Dacca Division

IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT, BENGAL.

IRRIGATION OPERATIONS FOR THE OFFICIAL YEAR 1922-23.

Area leased for irrigation up to end of June 1922.

Circle.	District.	Canal.	Estimated full discharge.	Average discharge in		Discharge utilised.	Approximate area of land irrigated during the year up to the end of the month.	Approximate area of land under irrigation up to the same date last year.	DETAILS OF AREAS LEASED.						RAINFALL, 1922-23.		RAINFALL, 1921-22.		
				C. ft.	C. ft.				Acres.	C. ft.	Season leases.				Grand total.	During month.	Up to end of month.	During month.	Up to end of month.
											Long-term leases.	Khart.	Rabi.	Sugarcane.						Hot weather.	Total.
S-W CIRCLE.	Midnapore	Midnapore	1,411	55	22	460	8,078	64,735	2,631	...	...	...	2,631	67,366	15.73	17.50	6.19	9.43
		Panchkura	522	23	...	...	...	6,382	10	...	...	...	10	6,392	29.30	32.62	4.35	7.71
	Howrah	Tidal Reaches, Ranges I and II	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	20.67	26.58	5.79	7.98
		Total Midnapore Canal	...	...	...	...	8,078	71,117	2,641	...	...	...	2,641	73,758	...	...	...	...
	Burdwan and Hooghly.	Total of the corresponding period last year.	...	...	...	...	...	64,884	7,126	...	...	...	7,126	72,010	...	...	...	...
		Eden Canal	1,000	167	...	16	1,588	18,345	...	...	3	13	16	18,361	25.96	30.12	...	...
		Total of the corresponding period last year	...	...	...	...	...	17,921	...	...	...	6	6	17,927	...	...	11.96	18.42
		GRAND TOTAL	...	...	...	...	9,666	89,462	2,641	3	13	2,657	92,119	...	...	...	...
		GRAND TOTAL OF THE CORRESPONDING PERIOD OF LAST YEAR.	...	...	...	...	...	82,805	7,126	...	6	7,132	89,937	...	...	...	...

D. N. SEN GUPTA,

Personal Assistant
to Secretary to the Government of Bengal.

CALCUTTA, the 25th July 1922.

Vital Statistics for the month of April 1922 of the Districts

Division.	No.	Districts.	POPULATION UNDER REGISTRATION ACCORDING TO CENSUS OF 1921.			BIRTHS REGISTERED.		DEATHS								
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Still-born number registered.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Malaria.	Enteric fever.	Measles.	Relapsing fever.	Kala-Azar.	
Burdwan	1	Burdwan	689,282	673,993	1,363,275	4,289	18	164	14	...	2,545	...	1	1	2	
	2	Birbhum	422,986	424,584	847,570	3,009	93	10	24	...	1,437	...	2	...	2	
	3	Bankura	480,935	483,552	964,487	3,324	2	32	5	...	454	4	5	103	42	
	4	Midnapur	1,318,273	1,308,652	2,626,925	6,199	...	344	1-5	...	1,958	33	31	17	1	
	5	Hooghly	468,451	462,093	930,544	2,407	3	136	15	...	1,473	25	...	...	1	
	6	Howrah	391,415	387,478	778,893	1,816	5	230	34	...	539	5	21	10	4	
Presidency	7	24-Parganas	1,062,266	989,125	2,051,391	4,523	58	822	27	...	1,040	14	80	3	11	
	8	Nadia	731,335	693,552	1,424,887	5,346	66	152	14	...	2,953	4	...	...	...
	9	Murshidabad	591,676	599,742	1,191,418	4,102	141	60	45	...	2,329	4	1	11	1	
	10	Jessore	887,182	824,898	1,712,080	4,794	165	529	18	...	2,824	3	3	...	...
	11	Khulna	741,741	684,945	1,426,686	3,231	99	319	4	...	1,286	...	22	...	...
	12	Rajshahi	753,539	711,538	1,465,077	4,443	224	788	6	...	4,150	...	...	...	...
Rajshahi	13	Dinajpur	885,427	801,901	1,687,328	4,551	127	6	6	...	2,499	...	...	...	...
	14	Jalpaiguri	494,432	427,317	921,749	1,925	103	1	176	...	1,542	...	...	...	...
	15	Darjeeling	136,217	124,273	260,490	635	30	...	...	...	355	...	...	...	1	
	16	Rangpur	1,304,781	1,183,997	2,488,778	5,548	257	27	38	...	2,236	...	...	...	...
	17	Bogra	531,470	504,814	1,036,284	2,086	45	12	...	...	1,157	...	...	...	...
	18	Pabna	682,594	662,039	1,344,633	3,399	136	40	...	...	2,092	...	1	6	...	
Dacca	19	Malda	478,872	480,103	958,975	2,127	32	2	14	...	1,344	...	...	105	...	
	20	Dacca	1,485,445	1,490,470	2,975,915	5,766	271	1,308	131	...	1,790	...	1	...	...
	21	Mymensingh	2,447,431	2,278,695	4,726,126	9,882	387	871	134	...	2,166	10	3	...	5	
	22	Faridpur	1,124,661	1,085,397	2,210,058	4,901	111	648	9	...	3,328	...	2	...	...
	23	Bakarganj	1,318,064	1,265,107	2,583,171	7,322	57	728	4	...	484	35	...	46	1	
	24	Chittagong	753,765	821,627	1,575,392	3,808	321	209	166	...	139	316	3	1	...	
Chittagong	25	Noakhali	738,722	734,064	1,472,786	3,396	237	722	10	...	1,219	...	...	...	...
	26	Tippera	1,367,598	1,311,029	2,678,627	4,627	281	986	12	...	139	...	1	...	...
	27	Chittagong Tracts.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Not under	
Total of month for Bengal			22,288,560	21,414,985	43,703,545	107,456	3,269	9,147	1,090	...	43,512	453	177	302	71	
Total of corresponding month of previous year.			107,869	3,757	8,991	1,339	...	64,875	668	143	634	29	
Increase + or decrease =			-413	-488	+146	-249	...	-21,363	-215	-434	-332	+42	

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excluding Towns with a population of 10,000 and over in Bengal.

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Other fevers.	Dysentery.	Diarrhoea.	Influenza.	Pneumonia.	Phthisis.	Other respira- tory diseases.	Injuries includ- ing suicide.	Deaths from childbirth.	Other causes.	Total of all causes.			Total of corresponding month of previous year.			No.	Districts.	
										Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.			
293	48	2	4	21	3	29	36	14	506	1,972	1,711	3,683	2,848	2,703	5,551	1	Burdwan.	
188	3	...	3	7	1	2	11	1	315	1,064	942	2,006	2,145	1,924	4,069	2	Birbhum.	
1,059	39	35	6	24	9	29	17	3	523	1,224	1,165	2,389	2,222	2,101	4,323	3	Bankura.	
1,281	77	42	11	160	14	9	65	...	597	2,546	2,279	4,825	3,556	3,515	7,111	4	Midnapur.	
152	42	38	3	55	2	7	30	15	308	1,149	1,153	2,302	1,596	1,479	3,075	5	Hooghly.	
355	41	102	1	28	4	31	36	10	205	848	808	1,656	780	826	1,606	6	Howrah.	
1,420	27	22	2	44	15	21	71	2	429	2,261	1,789	4,050	2,540	2,170	4,710	7	24-Parganas.	
446	54	8	9	36	5	6	60	...	497	2,357	1,917	4,274	3,640	3,227	6,867	8	Nadia.	
270	3	4	1	13	...	9	43	1	547	1,821	1,521	3,342	2,887	2,553	5,440	9	Murshidabad.	
522	12	18	10	39	7	12	43	140	419	2,187	2,112	4,299	3,242	2,856	6,098	10	Jessore.	
266	15	8	6	4	10	5	54	...	519	1,434	1,075	2,509	1,644	1,353	2,997	11	Khulna.	
...	8	...	...	2	2	2	26	1	367	2,931	2,430	5,361	2,822	2,636	5,458	12	Rajshahi.
1,344	4	5	2	11	7	3	43	3	130	2,293	1,769	4,062	2,688	2,328	5,016	13	Dinajpur.	
26	28	16	8	15	13	45	14	6	128	1,173	844	2,017	1,318	1,104	2,422	14	Jalpaiguri.	
250	22	6	104	6	6	13	10	...	106	479	400	879	504	469	973	15	Darjeeling.	
1,797	8	7	...	1	...	6	33	15	80	2,404	1,842	4,246	2,608	2,203	4,811	16	Rangpur.	
579	4	...	3	14	1	8	24	...	85	1,063	824	1,887	1,234	1,110	2,394	17	Bogra.	
428	9	12	...	2	...	1	30	98	110	1,514	1,315	2,829	2,312	1,905	4,217	18	Pabna.	
48	2	3	...	...	...	...	11	...	159	989	700	1,689	1,721	1,413	3,134	19	Malda.
1,813	163	11	...	17	...	12	62	1	973	3,407	2,875	6,282	4,201	3,557	7,758	20	Dacca.	
4,247	153	16	4	7	9	19	42	11	1,011	4,790	3,918	8,708	5,059	4,252	9,311	21	Mymensingh.	
...	38	9	...	12	1	28	44	...	553	2,540	2,127	4,667	3,430	3,123	6,553	22	Faridpur.	
2,481	54	7	...	7	5	35	102	...	1,240	2,956	2,272	5,228	3,733	2,873	6,606	23	Bakarganj.	
2,768	11	8	...	3	2	2	33	...	93	1,978	1,776	3,754	1,466	1,318	2,784	24	Chittagong.	
1,189	24	22	...	...	...	...	34	...	315	1,901	1,634	3,535	1,454	1,252	2,706	25	Noakhali.
2,514	109	5	3	2	...	4	51	...	517	2,352	1,971	4,323	2,247	1,869	4,116	26	Tippera.	
registrat'on.																	27	Chittagong Hill Tracts.
25,736	998	405	180	530	116	338	1,005	321	10,723	51,335	43,159	95,104	...	...	...	...
27,077	1,101	130	421	749	131	495	1,101	184	19,038	63,987	56,119	120,103	...	...	...	...
-1,341	-103	+275	-241	-219	-15	-157	-96	+137	-1,315	-12,052	-12,950	-25,002	...	...	...	...

Taken as a whole, the statement possesses a relative value, although the figures for individual districts probably only approximate to the actual districts as ordered in Government of Bengal, Municipal Department, letter No. 118San., dated the 8th February 1918.
India, Education Department, letter No. 93, dated the 26th March 1918.

CHAS. A. BENTLEY, *Director of Public Health, Bengal.*

Vital Statistics for the month of April 1922 of the

Districts.	No.	Towns.	POPULATION UNDER REGISTRATION ACCORDING TO CENSUS OF 1921.			BIRTHS REGISTERED.									
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Still-born number registered.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Malaria.	Enteric fever.	Measles.	Relapsing fever.	Kala-azar.
Burdwan	1	Burdwan	19,583	15,033	34,616	20	...	1	...	...	13	...	...	...	...
	2	Raniganj	8,040	6,496	14,536	27	...	22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	3	Asansol	15,464	11,035	26,499	17	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bankura	4	Bankura	13,523	11,889	25,412	38	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...
	5	Vishnupur	9,736	9,662	19,398	43	...	...	...	...	17	...	...	...	...
	6	Sonamukhi	5,140	5,504	10,644	36	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...
Midnapur	7	Midnapur	15,724	13,241	28,965	41	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...
	8	Ghatal	5,655	5,115	10,770	34	...	2	1	...	2	...	...	1	...
Hooghly	9	Hooghly-Chinsura	16,723	13,215	29,938	57	...	1	...	...	35	...	...	...	...
	10	Srirampur	20,210	12,987	33,197	44	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	11	Rishra-Konnagar	15,080	8,229	23,259	23	...	14	...	...	12	...	...	...	...
	12	Baidyabati	9,174	7,297	16,471	20	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	...	...
	13	Bhadreswar	14,487	7,594	22,081	19	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Howrah	14	Chandpur	17,199	7,459	24,652	15	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	15	Howrah	125,472	66,829	192,301	391	22	118	73	...	24	21	...	...	2
	16	Bally	15,264	7,945	23,209	23	...	14	...	...	11	...	...	...	...
	17	Cossipur-Chitpur	36,289	20,185	56,474	51	4	45	6	...	4	...	...	...	...
	18	Maniktala	40,996	26,376	67,372	47	...	25	8	...	17	1	1	...	...
	19	South Suburban	19,083	14,262	33,345	62	1	22	3	...	15	...	...	...	...
	20	Tollyganj	13,326	8,311	21,637	44	...	7	...	...	4	4	...	...	...
	21	Garden Reach	29,373	16,194	45,567	50	...	14	5	...	6	4	...	...	...
	22	Budge-Budge	17,883	7,840	25,723	22	...	11	1	...	2	...	...	...	...
	23	Baranagar	19,089	12,095	32,084	44	...	50	...	...	1	1	...	2	...
24 Parganas	24	Kamarhati	14,965	8,053	23,018	9	...	6	...	...	8	...	...	...	...
	25	Hajipur	5,760	5,652	11,412	18	...	1	...	...	6	...	...	...	...
	26	South Dum-Dum	8,736	5,294	14,030	32	1	2	1	...	4	...	...	...	...
	27	Barrakpur	14,877	7,583	22,460	16	...	...	...	...	11	...	...	...	...
	28	Panihati	6,148	4,013	10,161	17	...	9	...	...	3	...	...	...	...
	29	North Barrakpur	9,452	5,981	15,433	26	...	5	1	...	8	...	...	...	...
	30	Titagarh	36,533	15,918	52,451	47	1	30	...	...	...	5	1	1	...
	31	Garulia	9,077	4,019	13,096	6	...	2	...	...	3	...	...	...	...
	32	Nalhati	15,464	7,822	23,286	12	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	33	Kanchrapara	7,182	3,150	10,332	5	...	3	...	...	2	...	...	...	...
Calcutta	34	Bhatpara	45,723	19,886	65,609	53	1	3	5	...	1	...	...	...	...
	35	Basirhat	10,162	9,105	19,267	37	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	12	...
	36	Raduria	7,434	6,628	14,062	17	...	2	...	...	13	...	...	...	...
	37	Calcutta	617,590	290,261	907,851	1,239	80	347	85	52	86	44	15	...	15
	38	Krishnagar	11,877	10,932	22,809	38	...	3	...	...	13	...	...	...	...
	39	Nadia or Nabadwip	7,291	8,293	15,584	20	...	1	1	...	12
	40	Santipur	11,342	13,450	24,792	66	...	1	1	...	10

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Other fevers.	Dysentery.	Diarrhoea.	Influenza.	Pneumonia.	Phthisis.	Other respira- tory diseases.	Injuries in- cluding sui- cide.	Deaths from child-birth.	Other causes.	Total of all causes.			Total of corresponding month of previous year.				
										Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.		
...	10	...	...	8	...	4	4	...	8	26	22	48	51	36	87	1	Burdwan.
4	...	1	...	...	...	3	...	...	10	24	16	40	6	6	12	2	Raniganj.
5	...	1	...	1	...	5	2	...	5	17	4	21	16	13	29	3	Asansol.
1	3	1	...	7	...	1	...	...	14	17	12	29	25	12	37	4	Bankura.
...	3	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	8	17	16	33	36	24	60	5	Vishnupur.
5	...	1	1	7	...	1	...	...	5	13	11	24	32	22	54	6	Sonamukhi.
8	3	4	...	8	2	3	...	...	8	23	15	38	27	22	49	7	Midnapur.
9	...	5	...	9	1	...	1	...	5	16	22	37	15	11	26	8	Ghatal.
...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	24	24	48	25	34	59	9	Hooghly-Chinsura.
6	...	10	...	...	...	8	2	...	14	25	21	46	27	21	48	10	Serampur.
...	...	5	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	16	19	34	15	11	26	11	Rishra-Konnagar.
...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	8	5	13	16	24	40	12	Baidyabati.
4	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	2	10	4	14	15	14	29	13	Bhadreswar.
14	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	11	10	21	20	17	37	14	Champdani.
61	18	38	...	43	15	62	9	...	129	331	292	613	364	290	654	15	Howrah.
1	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	13	18	31	14	23	37	16	Bally.
26	3	4	...	3	6	8	2	...	25	72	60	132	55	32	87	17	Cossipur-Chitpur.
6	12	5	5	21	9	10	3	...	43	93	82	175	95	77	172	18	Maniktala.
...	...	1	...	7	...	...	...	...	6	23	31	54	28	21	49	19	South Suburban.
10	1	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	1	20	10	30	8	11	19	20	Tallyganj.
24	6	2	...	9	1	2	...	1	15	41	38	89	63	32	95	21	Garden Reach.
7	1	4	...	2	...	...	2	...	7	19	19	38	37	9	46	22	Budge-Budge.
8	12	2	...	4	...	1	2	...	14	63	34	97	69	48	117	23	Baranagar.
...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	3	13	7	20	13	1	14	24	Kam-rhati.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	1	9	10	9	9	18	25	Rajpur.
3	1	1	...	2	...	3	...	...	5	12	10	22	12	8	20	26	South Dum-Dum.
...	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	9	5	14	4	6	10	27	Barrakpur.
2	1	1	...	4	...	...	...	...	1	15	6	21	11	7	18	28	Paulhati.
...	...	3	...	...	...	4	...	...	4	16	9	25	12	13	25	29	North Barrakpur.
34	...	3	...	2	4	...	...	...	2	62	20	82	60	37	97	30	Titagarh.
...	1	...	...	3	...	...	1	...	...	7	3	10	2	3	5	31	Garulia.
2	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	9	10	11	21	9	7	16	32	Nalhati.
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2	5	3	2	5	33	Kanchrapara.
11	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	13	16	29	16	17	33	34	Bhatpara.
...	1	...	...	...	...	6	1	...	7	17	17	34	8	20	28	35	Basirhat.
...	...	1	...	1	...	2	1	...	...	13	7	20	10	8	18	36	Baduria.
146	126	97	63	263	201	265	60	7	662	1,493	1,071	2,524	1,425	1,056	2,491	37	Calcutta.
...	1	1	2	11	9	20	8	9	17	38	Krishnagar.
...	1	1	6	11	11	22	21	5	26	39	Nadia or Nabadwip.
...	1	5	1	...	24	16	27	43	40	37	77	40	Santipur.

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Districts.	No.	Towns.	POPULATION UNDER REGISTRATION ACCORDING TO CENSUS OF 1921.			BIRTHS REGISTERED.									
			Male.	Female.	Total.	Number registered (excluding still-births).	Still-born number registered.	Cholera.	Small-pox.	Plague.	Malaria.	Enteric fever.	Measles.	Relapsing fever.	Kala-azar.
	41	Berhampur ...	14,719	11,951	26,670	42	...	9	5	...	7	...	...	1	...
Murshidabad.	42	Murshidabad ...	5,401	5,268	10,669	24	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
	43	Azimganj ...	5,876	5,355	11,231	17	...	1	1	...	24	...	...	...	...
	44	Kandi ...	5,903	5,884	11,787	23	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	45	Jangipur ...	5,167	5,572	10,739	26	...	...	...	...	8	...	...	...	...
Jessore ...	46	Jessore ...	6,410	3,729	10,139	9	...	...	...	...	8	...	...	...	...
Khulna ...	47	Khulna ...	10,235	5,814	16,049	15	...	6	...	...	8	...	...	...	...
	48	Satkhira ...	5,548	4,751	10,299	10	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	...
Rajshahi ...	49	Rampur-Bonilla ...	13,831	10,767	24,598	49	1	...	...	...	21	...	...	...	...
Dinajpur ...	50	Dinajpur ...	10,973	7,052	18,025	11	...	1	...	...	8	...	...	...	...
Jalpaiguri ...	51	Jalpaiguri ...	8,965	5,555	14,520	8	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...
Darjeeling ...	52	Darjeeling ...	12,877	9,391	22,268	27	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...
Ringpur ...	53	Rangpur ...	12,059	7,017	19,076	18	...	...	...	...	11	...	...	...	...
Bogra ...	54	Bogra ...	7,259	5,065	12,322	12	...	...	...	...	14	...	...	...	...
Pabna ...	55	Pabna ...	10,332	8,991	19,343	12	...	...	...	...	8	...	...	...	...
	56	Sirajganj ...	13,756	11,762	25,518	4	...	1	...	...	4	...	...	...	...
Malda ...	57	English Bazar ...	7,862	6,188	14,057	16	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...
	58	Nawabganj ...	6,681	6,552	13,233	25	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	...
Dacca ...	59	Dacca ...	67,333	52,117	119,450	246	3	44	1	...	5	...	1	...	11
	60	Narayanganj ...	19,442	11,160	30,602	55	...	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mymensingh ...	61	Mymensingh ...	16,597	8,690	25,287	30	...	34	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
	62	Jamalpur ...	12,566	10,547	23,113	47	2	3	2	...	30	...	...	...	...
	63	Sherpur ...	9,768	8,045	17,813	51	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	64	Kishorgani ...	10,600	8,918	19,518	38	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Faridpur ...	65	Bajitpur ...	5,946	5,622	11,568	13	...	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	66	Tangail ...	7,542	6,763	14,305	7	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	67	Faridpur ...	8,772	5,731	14,503	22	...	3	...	...	4	...	...	...	...
	68	Madaripur ...	14,309	10,988	25,297	44	3	10	...	...	8	...	...	...	...
Bakarganj ...	69	Barisal ...	17,584	9,100	26,744	16	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	70	Pirojpur ...	7,515	6,326	13,841	46	...	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chittagong ...	71	Chittagong ...	24,117	11,913	36,030	29	2	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tippera ...	72	Comilla ...	15,533	10,281	25,814	39	...	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	2
	73	Brahmanbaria ...	12,367	11,047	23,414	56	1	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	74	Chandpur ...	10,636	4,482	15,118	9	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total of month ...			1,769,376	1,049,372	2,818,748	3,812	133	984	203	52	553	80	19	19	29
Total of corresponding month of previous year.			48	139	820	39	22	661	57	48	22	38
Increase + or decrease —.			-236	-6	+164	+164	+30	-108	+23	-29	-3	-9

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DEATHS REGISTERED.													No.	Towns.			
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										Male.	Female.	Total.			Male	Female.	Total.
...	...	2	...	7	1	...	2	...	23	36	21	57	31	27	58	41	Berhampur.
15	4	1	12	9	21	13	18	31	42	Murshidabad.
...	3	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	4	19	15	34	14	20	34	43	Azimganj.
4	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	5	4	7	11	11	10	21	44	Kandi.
...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	6	4	10	22	7	29	45	Jangipur.
...	1	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	6	11	6	17	9	2	11	46	Jessore.
...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	10	19	13	6	19	47	Khulna.
...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	5	11	...	6	14	48	Satkhira.
...	3	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	9	21	16	37	31	26	57	49	Rampur-Boalia.
...	2	1	2	1	...	1	...	...	5	14	7	21	8	4	12	50	Dinajpur.
...	2	...	...	...	...	5	1	...	4	11	3	14	11	2	13	51	Jalpaiguri.
2	2	3	13	3	...	1	1	...	8	25	10	35	42	25	67	52	Darjeeling.
...	4	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	6	19	4	23	11	7	18	53	Rangpur.
...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	5	11	11	22	19	9	28	54	Bogra.
...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	7	7	14	11	15	26	55	Pabna.
...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	4	6	48	16	64	56	Sirajganj.
2	1	...	1	4	...	1	1	...	4	13	6	19	14	20	34	57	English Bazar.
...	4	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	9	9	18	22	16	38	58	Nawabganj.
80	33	5	1	10	5	10	1	...	69	158	118	276	137	147	284	59	Dacca.
17	2	...	...	...	2	3	1	...	28	34	39	73	26	23	49	60	Narayanganj.
14	3	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	11	34	31	65	32	20	52	61	Mymensingh.
1	9	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	12	32	26	58	25	22	47	62	Janailpur.
4	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	11	16	27	13	12	25	63	Sherpur.
7	...	2	...	...	...	3	...	...	3	5	10	15	13	15	28	64	Kishorganj.
2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	9	11	20	4	2	6	65	Bajitpur.
8	1	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	7	7	14	18	11	29	66	Tangail.
...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	6	9	15	14	12	26	67	Faridpur.
...	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	4	11	14	25	18	16	34	68	Madaripur.
7	4	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	3	18	6	24	35	9	44	69	Barisal.
5	...	...	...	...	...	4	1	...	8	14	16	30	9	11	20	70	Pirojpur.
19	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	21	23	21	44	27	18	45	71	Chittagong.
...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	12	8	20	14	15	29	72	Comilla.
20	7	1	...	...	2	1	...	...	10	21	25	46	21	14	35	73	Brahmanbaria.
2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	8	3	11	1	2	3	74	Chandpur.
406	313	212	86	440	253	450	106	9	1,365	3,240	2,539	5,779	...	...	...
803	380	234	164	465	236	519	106	10	1,519	3,453	2,630	6,083	...	...	...
-197	-67	-22	-78	+35	+17	-69	Equal	-1	-154	-213	-51	304	...	...	...

Taken as a whole, the statement possesses a relative value, although the figures for individual towns probably only approximate to the actual in a proportion of cases in the returns for districts as ordered in Government of Bengal, Municipal Department, letter No. 118 San., dated the 8th February 1918. Education Department, letter No. 93, dated the 26th March 1918.

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GOVERNMENT OF BENGAL, IRRIGATION DEPARTMENT.
*Approximate return of traffic on the Circular and Eastern Canals
for the week ending Saturday, the 22nd July 1922, as compared
with the corresponding week of the previous year.*

Nature of cargo.	WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 22ND JULY 1922.			WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, THE 23RD JULY 1921.		
	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.	Number of boats.	Weight of cargo.	Tollage.
		Mds.	Rs.		Mds.	Rs.
Rice and paddy ...	250	44,200	693	358	54,486	957
Jute ...	34	30,575*	244	73	43,414†	395
Firewood ...	60	38,300	576	130	54,500	808
Other articles ...	850	244,425	2,536	884	227,411	2,576
Total ...	1,194	357,500	4,049	1,445	379,811	4,730
Empty boats and rafts	527	...	1,562	618	...	2,250
GRAND TOTAL	1,721	357,500	5,611	2,063	379,811	6,980

Mds.
* Weight by canal measurement ... 31,212½
† Ditto ditto ... 46,712½

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to the Government of Bengal.*

CALCUTTA, the 28th July 1922.

CALCUTTA IMPROVEMENT TRUST.

Notice under Section 47 (3) of Bengal Act V of 1911.

It is hereby notified that the Board of Trustees for the Improvement of Calcutta have applied to the Local Government for sanction to Improvement Scheme No. VIIIB (extension of the present proposed park in Scheme No. VIII and construction of a 100-foot road to the north of this park joining the Circus with Darga Road widening). which was originally published in the *Calcutta Gazette* and in local newspapers on the 28th September 1921.

T. EMERSON, *Chairman.*

CALCUTTA, the 25th July 1922.

